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## ETHIOPIA PROTESTS ITALIAN BOMBING TO LEAGUE

### Britain May Make Appeal On China Treaty To Japan

London Government Considers Calling Tokio's Attention to Its Obligations Under Nine-power Pact; China May Send Appeal to League of Nations Against Japanese Interference in Northern Provinces; Japanese Planes Over Peiping

Associated Press

London, Dec. 6.—British representations to Tokio had an appeal by the Chinese government to the League of Nations, because of the critical North China situation, were reported in responsible quarters to be under consideration to-day.

Authoritative sources said that unless the situation was clarified quickly the British government would call the attention of Japan to its obligations under the Nine-power Treaty.

### Hon. J. Malcolm Called By Death

Former Liberal Minister of Trade Dies at Home in Kincardine, Ont.

Kincardine, Ont., Dec. 6.—Hon. James Malcolm, Minister of Trade and Commerce in the King Government from 1926 to 1930, died at his home here shortly after midnight. He was fifty-five years old.

Mr. Malcolm declined to take any active part in the last federal election campaign owing to ill health with which he had been troubled since his youth. As recently as several weeks ago he was mentioned by political observers as a possible choice for the post of Canadian ambassador to the United States.

FUNERAL MONDAY

The funeral will be held Monday at 2 p.m. from the Malcolm residence, Rev. T. D. McCullough of Toronto, former minister of Knox Presbyterian Church, Kincardine, will officiate. Interment will be made in the family mausoleum in Kincardine Cemetery.

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MISSING MAN SAFE

Churchill, Man., Dec. 6 (Canadian Press).—Simon Johnson, missing for two nights and a day on the Blizzard-swept Churchill River, arrived back here late to-day apparently none the worse for his experience.

### Noted Detective Backs Hauptmann

Ellis Parker Revealed By New Jersey Governor to Have Been Quietly Working Case; Letter Is Quoted As Helping to Clear Prisoner

Trenton, N.J., Dec. 6.—Governor Harold G. Hoffman said to-day that Ellis Parker, noted Burlington County detective, was "under the definite impression that Hauptmann is not the man" responsible for the Lindbergh kidnap-murder.

Governor Hoffman said Parker, who is known for his solution of a score of baffling crime mysteries, had been called into the Lindbergh case by Governor A. Harry Moore, who was the state's chief executive when the kidnapping was carried out.

"He's been working on it ever since," he said.

QUIET INVESTIGATION

The fact Parker was quietly conducting an investigation was revealed only yesterday, a few hours before Governor Hoffman disclosed he had paid a nocturnal visit to Hauptmann.

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### CHIEF OF POLICE NEEDS NEW COAT

Windsor, Ont., Dec. 6.—Chief of Police James P. Smith gave the police commission a shock when he advised it he had been wearing the same overcoat for the last twenty-three years. The disclosure came when the commissioners were endeavoring to make their estimate of \$233,833 for 1936 conform with the budget. Only \$961 was allotted from the estimates.

### REFUNDING IN ALBERTA

Canadian Press

Ottawa, Dec. 6.—Quirrs of Alberta bonds are being asked to consider a rearrangement of interest charges, it was announced here to-day by Premier William Aberhart. He arrived here to attend the Dominion-Provincial conference.

AT 2 1/2 PER CENT

Edmonton, Dec. 6.—Offering to "rearrange" as an assurance of security on interest payments, the federal subsidy of \$1,770,000 each year, and "other revenue," Hon. Ernest C. Manning, Provincial Secretary and Acting Premier, has written investment houses asking that they set up an in-

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### FINE FIGURE PASSES



—Photos by Carey and McAllister.

THE LATE WILLIAM MARCHANT

### Ex-mayor Marchant Dies, Ending Long and Active Public Career

### L. D. McLEAN PASSES AWAY

Former Head of New Method Laundry Succumbs After Years of Illness

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interrupted activity.

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VOTE CAUSES FRANC TO RISE

Associated Press  
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The vote was 321 to 217.

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### ITALIANS BOMB GONDAR, ETHIOPIA

Canadian Press from Havas  
Addis Ababa, Dec. 6.—Six Italian planes again bombarded Gondar, near Lake Tana, to-day. Six Ethiopians were reported killed.

### ONE DEATH IN HAMILTON FIRE

Body of J. Brooks of Detroit Found as Ruins Searched; Many Rescues Made

Canadian Press

Hamilton, Ont., Dec. 6.—The body of a man found this afternoon by firemen searching the ruins of the Royal Market Apartments, destroyed by fire early to-day, was identified as that of John Brooks, forty-five, a radio salesman whose home is believed to be in Detroit. He had rented a room on the second floor of the apartment building some time ago.

Discovery of the charred corpse set squads of firemen on an intensive search for other possible victims.

When the \$250,000 fire in the six-story apartment block was at its height last night twenty-five tenants were carried to safety down ladders and fire escapes, with several aged people lowered by ropes from lofty windows.

Firemen and owners of the building thought all occupants had been safely evacuated.

DAMAGE IN \$250,000

Estimate of damage to-day indicated losses would be about one-quarter of the \$1,000,000 estimated at first.

The fire broke out shortly before midnight and spread rapidly throughout the structure. Hundreds of spectators cheered as firemen carried out their rescue work. Some elderly occupants were lowered out of windows by ropes.

Extra equipment had to be brought into use at the pumping stations to maintain pressure for the fire hose.

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### HOLIDAY WORK RULING GIVEN

Part-time Workers Get Higher Hourly Rate

With respect to overtime hours and rates of pay for employees in retail mercantile establishments during the approaching Christmas season, the following ruling was handed down by the Board of Industrial Relations to-day.

"According to the minimum wage regulations part time employees in the mercantile industry, who work less than forty hours a week, are entitled to the higher hourly rate than that paid to regular full-time employees."

As two holidays occur during Christmas week, namely, Christmas Day and Boxing Day, the hours of work of regular employees may in many cases be less than forty during that week.

The ruling of the board is that regular employees who are paid the customary week's salary for that week, and who thus obtain the benefit of two days' holiday with pay, will not be entitled to the higher hourly rate set for the part-time worker, who works less than forty hours per week.

Both the detained men were sent to Montreal early to-day by automobile.

The money was found intact in a house here, police said, but they declined to disclose the address of the building or who lived in it.

Paul Lafleur, twenty-nine-year-old accountant and companion of Nadeau on the fatal ride from Ottawa to a spot on the Montreal highway, was taken yesterday to Montreal under a coroner's warrant.

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### Attack On Hospital and Women's Deaths Reported To Geneva By Emperor

### GOLD HOARDINGS IN U.S. \$10,000,000,000

Associated Press

Washington, Dec. 6.—Imports of gold—in an ever-increasing tide—have swelled United States holdings to a new high of \$10,000,000,000.

Receipts in the week ended December 4 totaled \$135,000,000, and brought United States holdings above 40 per cent of the world's supply.

The troubled European scene was credited with sparking movement of the metal, \$800,000,000 worth of which has been received in the last twelve weeks.

Thousand Bombs Dropped on Dessye by Italian Planes; Twelve Persons Killed and 200 Wounded; Palace Hit, But Emperor Not There; Hospital Operated by U.S. Citizens, Displaying Red Cross, Struck by Bombs

Associated Press

Geneva, Dec. 6.—Emperor Haile Selassie, who escaped death in an Italian air bombing raid on his headquarters at Dessye, Ethiopia, to-day, protested directly to the League of Nations a few hours later against the bombing of Red Cross hospitals and the killing of women and children.

The Ethiopian monarch declared the American Seventh Day Adventist Hospital at Dessye, which was struck by bombs, had displayed the authorized insignia of the Red Cross.

The Emperor's protest stated: "It has been evident to us since the hostilities began that the Italian government has adopted a policy of destroying our people, not by the use of its troops, but solely by mechanical means and by native troops recruited in Italian colonies."

INTERNATIONAL LAW VIOLATED

"The Italian government may indeed consider itself authorized to bombard us when we go out to share the sufferings of our soldiers and to defend our soil, but the bombardment of open (unfortified) towns such as Dabat, Gondar and numerous villages inhabited by non-combatant peasants containing neither troops nor means of defence, the killing of women and children, and the bombardment of Red Cross hospitals are undeniably violations of international law."

"This last action, which took place to-day in Dessye, was established by four Red Cross doctors, namely Dr. Dassaui, Loeb, Schuppler and Bellot, and by representatives of the Associated Press, the (London) Times, Reuters (British news service), the Chicago Tribune and the London Daily Express."

WOMAN KILLED

"We have ourselves established the deaths of a woman and two children; the American Hospital at Dessye, which carries with authorization the markings of the Red Cross, has been seriously damaged."

"Although Italy has never respected the engagements which she has taken toward Ethiopia, we believe it is our duty to ask you to communicate with the states which are members of the League concerning these new violations by Italy of international law and customs."

By JAMES A. MILLS

Associated Press Correspondent  
With Emperor Haile Selassie at Dessye, Ethiopia, Dec. 6.—Italian war planes struck at Emperor Haile Selassie's headquarters to-day, bombing and machine-gunning troops, civilians, the Emperor's palace and hospitals indiscriminately.

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### Two Questioned When \$15,000 In Bank Loot Found

Former Employees of Banque Provinciale Sent From Hull, Que., to Montreal As Investigation of Slaying of A. Nadeau Proceeds

Canadian Press

Hull, Que., Dec. 6.—Police to-day held for questioning two former employees of the Banque Provinciale du Canada and recovered \$15,000 stolen from an accountant's car in a kidnap holding on Wednesday that brought death by gunshot wounds to Armand Nadeau, nineteen-year-old bank clerk.

Officers identified the two men held as Georges Chénier and J. O. Beauséjour. They said Chénier was dismissed by the bank six months ago and that Beauséjour was roommate of Nadeau, who was shot through the head on a lonely side road two miles east of here.

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## Battle Lines Drawn For Election In U.S.

Much Speculation on Who  
Will Be Republican Candidate  
Against Roosevelt As  
Campaign For 1936 Polling  
Takes Shape

By SAM ROBERTSON  
Canadian Press Staff Writer  
New York, Dec. 6.—The most perplexing question in the United States to-day is:

Who will race Roosevelt in 1936? One thing is certain: the presidential nomination will be warmly contested when the Republican convention is called to order next June. It is almost a year before the country goes to the polls, yet the woods are already full of candidates.

In 1934 the privilege of running against the readily-smiling Franklin Delano Roosevelt would have been a tribute of honor. But the Republican Party now feels it has a better chance.

STRAW VOTES  
The better is built on the premise that New Deal's popularity has

skidded somewhat. Several legislative seats in New York, Pennsylvania and New Jersey returned to the Republican fold in the November state elections. A national poll conducted by the American Institute of Public Opinion in October showed fifty-three of every hundred voters canvassed favored Roosevelt, as compared with the plurality of 59 per cent he won in the 1932 elections. A straw vote now being taken by the Literary Digest indicates an even more pronounced swing in sentiment.

The reason for the early drawing of battle lines by the G.O.P. is because the party is faced with the task of selecting one or more likely candidates for the presidency in time to build them up into figures of national stature. The titular Republican leader, former President Herbert Hoover, is one of the many enigmas of the situation. He has given no inkling of whether he would choose to run if the party should elect him as the runner.

In public addresses he has castigated Roosevelt and the Canadian-American States reciprocal trade treaty, the technical groundwork for which was laid by his administration. He has hit out at New Deal spending and called for a return to the gold standard.

DEPRESSION HANGOVER  
In his increasing political activity, some see Hoover reaching for the nomination. But the consensus of the political writers is: the Californian's chances of re-election were submerged when the depression broke the dam of boom times during his regime. Other outstanding candidates at the moment are: Senator William E. Borah of Idaho, Governor Alfred Landon of Kansas, Publisher Frank Knox of Chicago and Senator Arthur Vandenberg of Michigan. First choice would seem to lie somewhere in that group. But also in the running are Theodore Roosevelt, son of the illustrious "Teddy"; Senator Charles McNary of Oregon, minority leader in the upper chamber, remembered in Canada as co-author of the McNary-Haagen tariff; Ogden Mills and Patrick Hurley, members of Hoover's former cabinet; Frank Lowden, former Governor of Illinois.

The Republican campaign is al-

ready well under way from an oratorical standpoint and the tempo is steadily increasing. The plea being drummed into voters' ears is that they cast aside the Socialistic and Communist theories which most good Republicans will tell you are hidden in the Rooseveltian cellar. It is charged that control of government is being centralized in Washington, that the New Dealers are building a bureaucracy and that this will surely lead to dictatorship.

What is described as "governmental waste and extravagance" is another prime issue.

LEGISLATION BEFORE COURTS  
Right or wrong as those charges may be, the President's popularity is not what it once was, in the industrial east at least. Among likely reasons for this are:

Scrapping of the National Recovery Act by the United States Supreme Court on the grounds of unconstitutionality; the continuing parade of other legislation into the courts for legality testing; the Presidential promise of a balanced budget for 1936 that now appears difficult if not impossible of fulfillment.

## NEW ECONOMIES IN AUSTRIA

Vienna, Dec. 6.—The Austrian Government initiated the process of bringing its budget into approximate balance yesterday by inaugurating sweeping economies.

The 1936 budget to be submitted to the Diet totals 1,300,000,000 schillings (the schilling is currently quoted at about 18 cents). The estimate of the deficit is 21,000,000 schillings, compared with a deficit of 54,000,000 from the regular budget this year.

## VENEER PLANT CONSTRUCTED

Canadian Press  
New Westminster, Dec. 6.—Construction of a \$200,000 veneer plant for the British Columbia Plywood Limited, subsidiary of the Coast Mills Export Company Limited, on the north arm of the Fraser River, is nearing completion.

A \$30,000 sawmill for Frederick N. Tait is also being built at the foot of Byrne Road, Burnaby, on the north arm. The veneer plant is adjacent to the old Dominion Mills Limited, now being operated by the Coast Mills Export concern. It is expected operations will start about December 15 with 100 employees.

The Tait sawmill is expected to be in operation about the first of the year. It will employ twenty-five to thirty men.

## VANCOUVER FIRE LOSSES \$322,973

Vancouver, Dec. 6.—Fire losses in Vancouver in the period from January 1 to September 30 amounted to \$322,973 compared with \$181,551 for the same period of last year, according to figures released yesterday by Fire Marshal J. A. Thomas.

## Flush Kidneys of Acids and Poisons

Stop Getting Up Nights

When kidneys are clogged they become weak—the bladder is irritated—often passing is scanty and smart and burning sleep is restless and night visits to the bathroom are frequent. The right remedy is a safe and effective way to stop this trouble and restore healthy action to kidneys and bladder is to get from any drug-gist a 40-cent box of Gold Medal Haaslem Oil Capsules and take as directed—you won't be disappointed—be sure and get GOLD MEDAL Haaslem Oil Capsules—the original and genuine—right from Haaslem in Holland—a grand kidney stimulant and diuretic. Remember also that other symptoms of kidney and bladder trouble are backache, leg cramps, puffy eyes, moist palms and nervousness.

## SOCIALISTS IN NEW YORK FIGHT

Associated Press  
New York, Dec. 6.—The Socialist Party in New York City, largest unit in the national organization, was split wide open to-day as the result of a bitter fight between the "old guard" and "militant" factions.

The left wing "militant" leaders who walked out of a central committee meeting controlled by the right-wing "old guard" Wednesday evening, set up an organization of their own and declared they represented a majority of the Socialists in the city.

Norman Thomas, national leader of the party and one of the leaders of the left wing faction, immediately identified himself with the New York "militant" faction.

The schism had been in the making for many months. It was precipitated by the action of the executive committee of the central body, several weeks ago, in ordering a "purge" of so-called "revolutionists" in the party, including many of the left wing leaders.

## TRADE GROWS ON PRAIRIES

Retail Figures Show 1934  
Gained 8.8 Per Cent Over  
Preceding Year

Canadian Press  
Ottawa, Dec. 6.—The Dominion Bureau of Statistics to-day reported retail trade in the three prairie provinces during 1934 amounted to \$361,900,000, an increase of 8.8 per cent over the preceding year. The increase in value of sales in 1934 over 1933 in Manitoba was 7.3 per cent; Saskatchewan 8.3 per cent, and 11.1 per cent in Alberta.

On the base 1930 equals 100. The index of value of sales in the prairie provinces in 1934 was 65.3, and 60 in 1933.

While increases were recorded in practically all lines of business, the greatest gain was shown in motor vehicles, totalling \$33,241,000, an increase of 39.5 per cent.

Sales of grocery and combination stores totalled \$38,299,000, a gain of 3.1 per cent, while value of sales for country general stores was up 9 per cent. Chain stores had sales valued at \$54,460,100, or 15.6 per cent of the total business of all stores last year.

## MANITOBA FIGURES

Manitoba retail trade amounted to \$129,968,000, an increase of 7.2 per cent over the sales value of \$121,234,000 in 1933. The index of sales in 1934 was 68.7 against 64.1 in 1933.

Value of sales of motor vehicle dealers showed an increase of 30.4 per cent over the 1933 sales. Country general stores increased 10.2 per cent and grocery and combination stores 1.5 per cent, while lumber and building material dealers 16 per cent.

Retail trade in Saskatchewan in 1934 was worth \$111,569,000, an increase of 5.5 per cent. The index was 59, against 54.5 for 1933.

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## MOTION PICTURE PRODUCTION

**PROGRESS REPORTS ON THE MOTION PICTURE** which has been filmed at Victoria by a company sponsored by the Columbia Pictures are said to be satisfactory, and it is probable that a second production will be undertaken here. If the report is correct, there is every reason to expect that this city will be the scene of considerable motion picture activity which may evolve into an industry of impressive proportions, assuming no onerous restrictions stand in the way.

The company which has been operating here has expended many thousands of dollars in British Columbia, most of which has gone into Victoria. It has sought no other concessions from the city than the use of one of the exhibition buildings at a nominal rental. That structure itself leaves much to be desired for motion picture production purposes. It lacks facilities of the most elementary nature. It is devoid of even ordinary comfort and conveniences for the operators and players. Notwithstanding these handicaps, the company has gone ahead with its work and as evidence of its enterprise and good faith can point to a convincing record of actual achievement which has cost Victoria nothing.

It is understood the company desires the use of another building at the Willows on such terms as the authorities may define. Those terms should be reasonable, for there is more solid significance in this organization's operations than there has been in any of the score of proposals for motion picture production which have been aired in Victoria so far during the last fifteen years. Any company which shows its readiness to spend large sums of its own without civic subsidies of any kind, as this one has done, is deserving of every consideration at the hands of the community. Such practical demonstrations of confidence in the adaptability of this city for these activities encourages the hope that Victoria may yet become something of a motion picture production centre.

There is another aspect of this matter which is worth considering, and that is the possibility of converting at least a part of the exhibition premises into a base of motion picture operation which both directly and indirectly would be of financial benefit to the city. At present, as far as the civic treasury is concerned, the fair establishment is a liability, costing probably some \$19,000 less a government grant of \$4,532 and a building rental of some \$1,290. This includes a payment by the city of more than \$2,000 a year in taxes to the Oak Bay municipality. If the grounds and such of the buildings as are suitable for the purpose could be made available for motion picture production without imposing any burden upon the taxpayers, it would be good business for the city.

The interest of motion picture operators in Victoria arises largely from the imposition of the quota regulations adopted in Great Britain under which 20 per cent of the pictures intended for the British market must be taken on British soil. Since there is no quota regulation in the United States and Canada, any picture filmed here, if acceptable in other ways, would be available for a market covering a population of nearly 200,000,000. Victoria is the nearest and otherwise the most favorable point of contact with Hollywood from the standpoint of the British motion picture preference, and as such offers special advantages which in themselves are sufficient to attract the attention of producers. Of this the unconditional activities of the company already operating here present ample proof.

## MR. MASSEY AND THE CONFERENCE

"One often hears the phrase 'imperial unity.' Sometimes as a student of the British Empire I have felt it is important to avoid fictitious unities as it is to promote real ones. The poet Laureate, in his jubilee sonnet, said that 'King, Law, and Language, gave us unity.' With all deference, I would suggest that the second and third of these demonstrate, not the unity of the empire, but its diversity."—Hon. Vincent Massey, Canadian High Commissioner to Great Britain, speaking before the Canada Club in London the other day.

## MR. MASSEY GAVE THE CANADA

Club in London an encouraging message. He told his audience that Canada was well on the way to economic recovery. On this point he said: "The progress of Canada during the last year has been steady and unbroken. Nearly all the important indices of economic activity, such as bank clearings, wholesale prices, bond prices, and so on," had improved, while the unemployment figures also carried with them the note of optimism.

Mr. Massey's description of Canadian progress in a year's time will be even more favorable, if the world abandons its fallacy of economic barriers, the restriction of the flow of goods between nation and nation. Until then the return of normal prosperity will be delayed. The world must live by buying and selling; there is no other way.

Canada's High Commissioner struck a happy note in his speech when he spoke about language as it applied to the unity of the empire. He put it this way: "Surely the glory of the Commonwealth is not that it speaks in one tongue but rather that it embraces so many languages in its bounds and gives to certain of these an official sanction along with English. For instance, two-fifths of the people of the Dominion speak French, and Canada is the richer for the contribution which they make of French culture through the medium of the Mother tongue."

## MAYOR LEEMING

**THE ELECTION BY ACCLAMATION** OF Mayor David Leeming for a fifth consecutive term implies a tribute to the manner in which our chief magistrate has performed the exacting duties of his office during the last four years, as well as his personal qualities.

It is not too much to say that not in recent times, at any rate, has civic administration been confronted

with so many formidable problems as it has been in the period in which Mayor Leeming has been at the City Hall. In no administrative quarters has the effect of the world-wide depression been felt more heavily than in those of the municipalities, which constitute the base of the whole national structure. Many of them, lacking adequate resources, have been unable to stand the strain. Most of them, in Canada in any event, must be reinforced with adequate funds if they are to carry on in corporate form.

By his tireless industry and conscientious devotion to his duty—which have levied a severe strain upon his health—Mayor Leeming has abundantly qualified himself to succeed himself as captain of the civic ship, and although there can not be, as there has not been, unanimity of public opinion regarding all of his policies, his record-breaking re-election yesterday, for the second time without opposition, shows that he possesses in a unique measure the confidence of the Victoria electorate.

## AGAINST THE NEW DEAL

**THE REPUBLICAN PARTY IN THE U.S.** has begun an organized campaign against the policies which President Roosevelt initiated in the hope that they would cure the economic ills from which his country is suffering. The National Manufacturers' Association, what is reported to be representative of America's largest industries, has lined up with the Republican opposition. It has been considering a tentative 1936 platform of "rugged individualism." Alfred P. Sloan Jr., president of the General Motors Corporation, expressed the fear that "the socialization of industry" may be the outcome of the present plan. To quote him: "We must move toward a soundly based and widely distributed economic well-being. This is the 'theory of plenty,' as distinguished from the 'theory of scarcity,' which has dominated our recent economic thinking policies."

Here is the 1936 industrial platform, as enunciated by the National Manufacturers' Association:

- "1. Maintenance of constitutional guarantees and protection of the American constitution.
- "2. Preservation of individual enterprise.
- "3. Elimination of undue regulation of private business.
- "4. Opposition to excessive taxation, unsound government financing, and excessive federal expenditures beyond the normal operating expenses of government.
- "5. Establishment of a national currency upon a dollar of fixed gold content.
- "6. Adherence to the natural theory of 'economic progress,' as the best means for social security."
- "7. Adherence to the 'American system.'"

The items we have quoted, of course, are described as being of a tentative nature. After President Roosevelt has considered them he will probably issue a statement in reply—if he regards the plans of the association of sufficient importance to require a reply.

## ITALY FORGETTING HISTORY

**ITALY, UNDER MUSSOLINI, SEEMS** to have lost her head. The decree has gone forth that "British" must not be played because it is supposed to be "British."

Then, we are told, that people who look "British" may have to be removed from street cars, from restaurants, that they may even be denied registration at the best hotels.

All this, of course, is very silly. Italy, by the way, has been depending for many years for her financial stability upon the spending of good British pounds in her domain.

Some day Italy will recapture the spirit of Caribaldi—and rid herself of the buccannier who is now in the saddle, as she rid herself of the Austrian yoke in 1870.

A dispatch from Paris says "Italy may listen to Peace Talk." So far Italy has been very hard of hearing on this subject.

The Naval Conference, which is scheduled to open in London next Monday, will afford an opportunity for the powers to tell one another how many more battleships they will require in the next few years to scare off the spectre of war!

We are told that the latest edition of the British "Who's Who" contains the name of Dr. Allan Roy Dufosse—the man who brought the famous Dufosse Quintuplets into the world and, at the same time, made a name for himself—but not a line about Premier Laval of France. Why should there be any surprise about this? The trouble with French Premier is that they change so often that no "Who's Who," no matter how speedy, can keep up with them.

## Just Folks

by Edgar A. Guest

HIGCHAIR DICTATOR

Dictator and tyrant and king,  
 Monarch and ruler and czar.  
 Your crown is a terrible thing,  
 For lord of our kingdom you are.  
 We run at your slightest command.  
 Your whims we are quick to obey.  
 Night and day at your service we stand,  
 Proud master of all you survey.

The day that your highchair was bought  
 To us was its terror unknown.  
 Not one of us harbored the thought  
 That soon you would make it a throne.  
 We'd have smiled had they told us that "soon"  
 Round this you will crawl on your knees  
 Just to pick up this platter and spoon.  
 The tyrant, who sits here to please."

Now abjectly we bow to your tears,  
 As slaves who are ruled by the sword.  
 Your frowns are the worst of our fears.  
 Your smiles are our sweetest reward.  
 It is plain you've learned only too well  
 How eager to please you are,  
 But we haven't the heart to rebel,  
 And we haven't the wish to be free.

Harsh words oft of tyrants are said,  
 Slaves always their masters must hate.  
 But, strangely, we love you instead,  
 As you rattle your spoon on your plate.  
 Your whims we are glad to obey  
 And proudly we kneel at your feet.  
 Oh, you may be a tyrant; but say,  
 Was ever a tyrant so sweet?

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## Loose Ends

New York always does something to you—probably it's the coffee. And the millions fly through the city with the greatest of ease—And Vera says any decent girl would have shot the guy, as she did. And the bus conductor says he loves the great open space, too.

By BRUCE HUTCHISON

## SANCTUM

THIS IS written in a mood of triumph and deep reverence. It is written, to be perfectly accurate (though you will never believe it) in the very heart of New York's financial district. It is written in a financial office where a dozen young men are hurrying millions about in a fashion which would make your head swim. It is a triumph for a country boy like me to get in here—what tales I shall have to tell George Pudding—and it makes one reverent as in a church, when one is in the presence of millions of dollars and the great moving power of our civilization.

They have stowed the way at a vacant desk in the corner of the office and forgotten me. Right down below I can see the crowds surging up and down Wall Street and the church at the end which is called little but only seems so beside the skyscrapers. I can see the Morgan establishment, the New York Public Library, the national finance, and nearby a huge bronze statue of George Washington looking up at God and just below him a little man with a large black mustache selling apples and mangy-looking pears.

The boys who are running this office, where millions roll through every day, don't seem to have the horns and cloven feet that I had expected. The one in charge, long and lean and sun-tanned, came from Victoria originally—a local boy who has made good in a big way and whose only ambition is to get back to Victoria and play golf. His phone rings every minute or two—customers asking what he thinks of the market.

"No," he draws in a voice hardly above a whisper, "I don't fancy copper to-day. I'd buy motors."

"No, so-and-so is in it. I'd get out at the market. Golden I'm not hot on golds right now. Well, that's up to you—twenty-five hundred. Okay. How's Alice? Good."

"Canadian bonds are okay. Sure. Alberta? Don't make me laugh. A million and a half Ontario three's out—okay. I'll try. No, I can't see the Navy to-day. The Army is my pick. Seen Billy Rose's new show? Swell. At seven-fifteen then. I'll bring Gladys."

## SHADOWS

SO IT goes all morning. Millions flying through the air with the greatest of ease. Young men under forty handling them as if they were dealing in copper pennies. What they know would surprise you. One of them is digging up the cost of sewer construction in Seattle. Another is going into the expenditures of the C.P.R. on ties in the year 1934. A girl is extracting from a file all the dope on the per capita cost of teaching a salmon off the coast of Oregon. It doesn't take her long.

Here they are dealing not in the realities of American life—not in actual things like sewers and ties and salmon, but in tokens, chips, paper, mere shadows of reality. Behind all this flow and counter-flow of paper tokens are farmers out on the plains, toiling through the snow, miners digging coal, fishermen fighting the sea. But those men out there, handling realities, are in the hands of these chaps here who never handle anything but tokens and shadows. The latter are by far the more profitable. This is what, with a rare sense of humor, we call an economic system.

## CIVILIZATION

WHEN I GOT into the Grand Central station a couple of hours ago, I sat down at one of the several dozen restaurants included in that city—within-a-city. I couldn't eat the food, but that was not surprising. Often you can't eat the food down here. The coffee burns away the lining of your stomach very rapidly and accounts beyond doubt for the high occurrence of crime in these United States. Whisky neat is much easier on the nerves. But it's not

strong enough for the hardened natives of Manhattan. They live on coffee and look it. They have coffee complexes, most of them, a certain brown, well-tanned look about the gills.

Well, as I sat there in the Grand Central drinking the ice water and leaving the coffee alone, I read "The Mirror." It is part of one's education in American civilization to read "The Mirror." Listen to it:

"Vera Talks! Any Girl Would Have Done It! Bares Heart in Prison Interview."

"Vera just shot a guy up the street a way, but nobody blames her in the least. She answers questions by sob sisters in her cell 'with a characteristically sly smile.' Down here a murderer knows her stuff."

"Rospigliosi Goes Back to Marian." (It turned out that the Princess was only bluffing when she went out to Reno with youthful Louis F. Reed Jr. "Although Louis is a swell chap and a gentleman, I never considered him for a husband.")

"Gloria's Bye-bye to Sugar." (Pretty eighteen-year-old Gloria De Bevoise Speckles, prominent socialite, admits that she and her husband are through.)

"Wife Shoots Son. Blames Liver-weakness." (Both mother and fifteen-year-old son, members of a prominent family, were violently drunk.)

"Robert Says 'No' in Fight." (Claudette's gentleman friend smashed the newspapermen's cameras.)

"The Mirror" which the millions read on the subway as they go to work. The mirror of a weird phenomenon, this city of tokens and shadows.

## BUS

AT THE corner of Forty-second Street, which isn't half as exciting as the movie song about it, not an actor or actress in sight, only the grimy stone lions and poor, pathetic withered trees outside the vast Library—I waited for a Fifth Avenue bus, one of those trundling, noisy green monsters that seem like creatures of another age beside the modern stream-lined cars. When I climbed aboard, I asked the conductor how far south he went.

"Fourth Street," he said grumpily. "Where's that?" I said, slinking away from him. "Is it near Washington Square?"

"Say, listen—you're in New York—see? Did I know that even?"

"I suspected it," I said. "Say, listen, where'd you come from? 'Aint sick or nothin', are ya?"

"I come from out West," I said. "Ya do, eh? Well, I'm darned. From de vest, eh? Say, now, dere's a country, eh? I once went out west—in Detroit. Yeah, they got flowers out dere and everything. My brother's in de vest, too—Saint Paul. He drives a taxi—name of Rosenfield."

"I guess I never met him," I said. "Well, it's a big country—de vest," he said.

And, having realized that I was just a country boy from the far-off places, he took mercy on me and gave me minute directions for finding my way down to Wall Street. I think there was a sigh in his voice as I left. "I was thinking about the great open spaces of the West—around Detroit and St. Paul."

## Other People's Views

### HOUSING

To the Editor:—At the present time events of great importance to the whole of society are receiving more or less prominence in the news distributing agencies, and the people are more disturbed over the matters which are not publicized than those which are given prominence. While war, news, tariffs, movie world scandals, elections serve to sidetrack the helplessness and hopelessness of the great mass of the people, these people are acutely aware of their condition. The increase in unemployment, with its attendant misery and hardships (hunger, murder, suicide, family troubles, waywardness) is not made the subject of widespread discussion among those who are responsible for it, yet it continues to be the major problem. One of the results of the continued decline in the standard of living of the unemployed and part-time workers, even of those who have

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## SIDE GLANCES

By George Clark



"I told mamma not to send apples this year. We'll have to find some place to hide them before the party to-night."

## BARGAIN HIGHWAY

## Bargain Highway Bulletin FOR SATURDAY

**WOMEN'S AND MISSES' TWEED COATS.** Regular, Each, \$9.95, for ..... **\$6.95**  
 Tailored, loose-fitting or swagger styles. All silk and well interlined—fashionable shades. Sizes 14 to 44.

**SELK AND WOOL HOSE**—Of a fine texture. Shown in shades of light grey, tan, brown, dark grey and fawn. Sizes 8½ to 10, a pair, **39¢**

**WOMEN'S VESTS AND SNUGGLES**—Winter weight. They are trimmed at waist and in pink shade only. Small, medium and large sizes, each ..... **35¢**

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**MEN'S WOOL SWEATER COATS**—With "V" neck and two pockets. Heather shades. Sizes 36 to 44, for ..... **\$1.98**

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**DRESSES FOR AFTERNOON WEAR.** Values Up to \$10.00. On Sale for ..... **\$4.95**  
 Smart Dresses of satin-back crepe, ripple crepe, and other novelty materials. They are trimmed with satin, metallic and brilliant—made with wide, full sleeves, high or low necks. Sizes 14 to 20, 32 to 52. A range of colors.

**SUNDAY-NIGHT AND HOSTESS DRESSES.** Special ..... **\$4.95**  
 These are of silk crepe with short puff sleeves, cape sleeves or long sleeves; newest styles. A great value, Saturday.

**WINEYETTE GOWNS**—With short sleeves and trimmed with sprays of pastel-tinted embroidery in front. Small, medium and large sizes, each ..... **75¢**

**ANGEL-SKIN SLIPS**—In built-up shoulder style, with shaped top. Well out Slips in shades of brown, navy, pink, peach and black. Sizes 34 to 36, each ..... **\$1.49**

**MEN'S BROADCLOTH SHIRTS**—With collar attached. Very neat-fitting shirts. They are patterned with pin-stripes and rayon stripes. Each in a gift box. Sizes 14 to 17 ..... **\$1.59**

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**MEN'S FLANNELETTE PYJAMAS**—With "V" neck and pocket. Striped patterns, various colors. Sizes 36 to 44. A suit ..... **\$1.19**

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## Meats, Provisions, Delicatessen

### SATURDAY VALUES—CASH AND CARRY

#### EARLY SHOPPING VALUES—9 TO 10 A.M.

Butter, Springfield, Grade "A", Pullet Eggs, 300 limit 6 lbs., **79¢** doz. Limit 2 doz. **55¢**  
 3 lbs. .... **79¢** 2 doz. .... **55¢**

### ALL-DAY VALUES

Back Bacon, piece, 2 to 3 lbs., <b>22¢</b>	Butter, Fraser Valley, 1 lb., <b>29¢</b>	Ayrshire Ham, sliced, ½ lb., <b>12¢</b>
Eggs, Grade "A", Large, <b>35¢</b> per doz.	Vegetable Shortening, per lb., <b>12¢</b>	Cottage Cheese, per lb., <b>13¢</b>
Silverleaf Lard, per lb., <b>14½¢</b>	Bacon, sliced, 1-lb. lots, <b>24¢</b>	Corned Beef, sliced, 1-lb. lots, <b>12¢</b>

### MEATS—AS CUT IN CASE

#### SUPER VALUES—WHILE QUANTITIES LAST

Blade Roasts, lb., <b>6¢</b>	Cross Rib Roasts, lb., <b>7¢</b>	Small Roasts Veal, lb., <b>7¢</b>
Rolled Roasts Veal, lb., <b>14¢</b>	Veal Steaks, lb., <b>8¢</b>	

Shoulders Mutton, lb., <b>8¢</b>	Legs Mutton, lb., <b>14¢</b>
Shoulders Pork, lb., <b>11¢</b>	Legs Pork, lb., <b>21¢</b>
Butts Pork, lb., <b>16¢</b>	Loins Pork, lb., <b>21¢</b>
Rump Roasts Beef, lb., <b>14¢-13¢</b>	
Sirloin Tip Roasts, lb., <b>13¢</b>	
Steaks Round, lb., <b>13¢</b>	T-bone, Sirloin, lb., <b>16¢</b>
Oxford Sausage, Mincee Steak, Stew Beef, 2 lbs. for <b>15¢</b>	

2¢ lb. off Cash and Carry Meats (Super Values excepted) between 9 and 10 a.m. Shop in this hour and save.

### SERVICE MEATS—DELIVERED

Legs Lamb Whole, per lb., <b>21¢</b>	Lamb's Liver Per lb., <b>15¢</b>	Little Pig Sausage, per lb., <b>15¢</b>
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### Prime Steer Beef—Cut the Spencer Way

Porterhouse Roasts, full tenderloin, cut short, lb., <b>19¢</b>
T-bone, Sirloin-Tip, Prime Rib Roasts, lb., <b>15¢</b>
Steaks: Round, lb., <b>15¢</b> ; T-bone and Sirloin, lb., <b>18¢</b>

### Loins and Fillets Grain-fed Pork

Fillets, lb., <b>24¢</b> ; Loins, lb., <b>25¢</b> ; Chops, lb., <b>25¢</b>
Small California Purses, 2½, per carton <b>15¢</b>
Fillets, lb., <b>20¢</b> ; Cutlets, lb., <b>19¢</b> ; Breasts, lb., <b>8¢</b>

### Milk-fed Poultry

Fowl, lb., <b>21¢</b> ; Chicken, lb., <b>32¢</b> ; Capon, lb., <b>35¢</b>
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### Bakery Specials for Saturday

Fruit Ginger Cakes Each, at <b>18¢</b>	CRUMPETS Per pkt., <b>9¢</b>	Walnut and Date Loaves, each <b>18¢</b>
Gepoon Slabs About 5 lbs. <b>57¢</b>	Jam Tarts Per doz., <b>20¢</b>	Best Quality Slabs About 5 lbs. <b>94¢</b>

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FREE DELIVERY—VIEW STREET

"Eutecourt" Fancy Overseas Apples. Last call for the festive season December 11.

Sunkist Seedless Navel Oranges, 2 doz. for, <b>58¢</b>	Guaranteed Nettle Gems, per sack, <b>\$1.55</b>
Sweet Jap Oranges, case, <b>75¢</b>	Guaranteed Burbanks, per sack, <b>\$1.55</b>
Winter Bartlett Pears, 4 lbs. for, <b>25¢</b>	No. 1 HotHouse Tomatoes, per lb., <b>15¢</b>
Fancy Jonathan Apples, 4 lbs. for, <b>25¢</b>	Fresh Spinach, 2 lbs. for, <b>25¢</b>
	Books Turnips, 14 lbs. for, <b>25¢</b>

## Groceries Values

### Cash and Carry

Bovril Corned Beef, 1 lb., 2 tins <b>17¢</b>	Spencer's Peas, sieve 5, 2½, 2 tins for <b>19¢</b>
Aylmer White Corn, 2½, tin, <b>10¢</b>	Malikin's Best Tea, lb., <b>39¢</b>
Jell-O, assorted flavors, 3 pkgs. for <b>19¢</b>	Maxwell House Coffee, lb., <b>39¢</b>
Holbrook's Worcester Sauce, 10-oz. per bottle, <b>39¢</b>	Tunis Dates, per pkg., <b>35¢</b>
Robin Hood Oats with Chink, per carton <b>25¢</b>	English Sardines, 2 tins, <b>17¢</b>
Brunswick Sardines, 2 tins, <b>9¢</b>	Australian Pastry Flour, 10-lb. sack for <b>33¢</b>
Classic Cleanser, 2 tins for <b>13¢</b>	Libby's Tomato Juice, 14-oz., per tin <b>7¢</b>
New Salt Dates, 2-lb. bag, <b>13¢</b>	Roller Oiler, per bottle, <b>16¢</b>
Aylmer Peas, sieve 4, 2½, tin, <b>12¢</b>	Delmonte Sundried Seedless Raisins, 15-oz., per pkg., <b>14¢</b>
Royal Crown Soap, 3 bars, <b>10¢</b>	



## Vancouver Island News

## Keating

A bridge and five hundred card party was held in the Temperance Hall Saturday evening. Winners at five hundred were: First, Bert Bickford and Fred Michell; second, Mrs. W. Butler Jr. and W. Butler Sr.; consolation, Mrs. Lacombe and Mrs. P. Michell. High scores for bridge were held by Mr. and Mrs. F. North; second, Mrs. W. W. Michell and Lavie Beddington; consolation, Mrs. Michell and P. Tannet. Refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed. The next card party will be held in the Temperance Hall Saturday evening, December 28.

An old-time dance with Scott's orchestra in attendance will be held in the Temperance Hall Friday evening, December 6.

On Friday evening, December 13, the South Saanich Farmers' and Women's Institutes will hold their annual country store and entertainment in the Temperance Hall.

## Strawberry Vale

Wilkinson Road Women's Missionary Society held its annual Christmas meeting in the church on Tuesday. The morning prayer cycle convened at 10:30 o'clock under the leadership of Mrs. J. Edge. The afternoon session commenced at 2:30 o'clock with Mrs. Albert Allie in the chair.

Mrs. J. Hood gave an address on "The Christmas Story." Reports from secretaries were presented as follows: Christian stewardship, Mrs. J. Edge; supply department, Mrs. W. J. Jewell; strangers department, Mrs. G. Jones; literature department, Mrs. D. Phillips; social helpers, Mrs. S. Jones; Canadian Girls in Training, Mrs. W. Allan; correspondence, Miss Anne Allan.

Mrs. H. S. Pringle, the treasurer, gave an encouraging report.

Mrs. W. Graham, president of the Victoria Presbytery, brought official greetings and gave an address emphasizing the need for individual effort on behalf of the missionary cause.

Miss Hannah Barr rendered a solo.

accompanied by Miss Margaret Pringle, and a Christmas selection was given by the Wilgus Choral Club under the direction of Mrs. V. Hush, with Miss G. Riche as accompanist.

The next meeting will be held on Tuesday, January 7, at the parsonage, with Mesdames G. Jones and J. Edge as programme committee, and Mrs. W. H. Gibson as guest speaker.

## LANGFORD

The first performance of the newly-formed Belmont Dramatic Club will be held on Friday at 8 o'clock in the Women's Institute Hall. The performance will be repeated Saturday evening.

The monthly card party under the auspices of the Prince Edward branch No. 91 Canadian Legion, will be held on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock in the clubroom on the Island Highway.

Mrs. West Moore, who has been visiting relatives in Seattle, has returned to her home at Langford Lake.

Under the auspices of St. Matthew's Guild, a successful sale and silvers was held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. F. Bullen, "Marshwood." Needlework was sold by Mrs. Linsley and Mrs. H. A. Hinkes, home cooking by Mrs. J. J. Phillips and Miss Savory, and Mrs. J. Knight sold candies.

A successful Christmas tree containing gifts was arranged by Mrs. E. H. Brock. Mrs. D. B. F. Bullen, assisted by Mrs. R. J. Smith, Mrs. J. D. Macdonald and Mrs. H. F. Dack, poured tea. The plum pudding contest was won by Mrs. W. A. Wade.

Alina Jacques, poetess, will be the guest speaker at the Parent-Teacher Association's meeting on Wednesday, December 11. The subject will be "My Own Country."

An auction and contract bridge card party will be held in the Women's Institute Hall on Thursday, December 12, at 8 o'clock. Proceeds will be devoted to the Gyro hamper fund.

A meeting of the Colwood and Langford A.T.P.A. was held Tuesday evening in the Scout Hall. Kenneth B. Hinkes presided. Miss Eleanor Peatt was elected delegate to the Victoria Local Council. K. B. Hinkes to the Columbia Coast Mission drive.

Arrangements were made to hold a telephone bridge card party in aid of local council funds on Tuesday, December 10, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Peatt, Colwood, at 8 o'clock.

o'clock. The meeting made tentative plans to hold a dance on February 14. The members arranged to sing carols in the district at Christmas.

The next meeting will be held on December 17, at the vicarage and will take the form of a Christmas party.

## Chemainus

Chemainus, Dec. 6.—A card party and old-time dance, sponsored by the Oyster Women's Institute was held in the Saitair Community Hall. Winners at whist were: Ladies, first, Miss Corale Fraser; second, Mrs. A. H. Richards; gentlemen, first, Harry Porter; second, Mr. Johnson.

Refreshments were served and dancing followed.

There was a good attendance Monday night in the Baptist class room where B.Y.F.U. held their weekly meeting.

Under the auspices of the Junior W.A. of St. Michael's Church a successful sale of fancy work and tea was held in the Parish Hall on Tuesday.

A table of articles which the juniors made as Christmas gifts for the Indian Mission was on display.

Mrs. C. G. Saunders was general supervisor, others assisting being Mrs. John Thompson, Miss Fraser, Mrs. A. E. Stubbs, Mrs. W. Allister, Mrs. J. Underwood, Mrs. D. Stevens, Mrs. A. Underwood, Mrs. J. Sandilands, Mrs. O. Robathan and Mrs. H. Wilson. Solos were sung by Mrs. H. Wilson and Mrs. G. Pulling.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Wyllie Jr. returned to Spruce Lake on Tuesday after spending several days at Crofton with Mrs. Wyllie's mother, Mrs. Dyke. Jack Regan has returned to Victoria after spending a holiday with friends here.

## Twenty-five Years Ago To-day

December 6, 1910  
(From The Times Files)

A petition very largely signed by the property owners on Yates Street was presented to the City Council last night praying that the name of that thoroughfare be changed to "Broadway."

W. Eddy, who is employed by the city in street-cleaning work in which he uses his own horse and cart, was before the police court this morning to answer a charge of having allowed his horse to stand over the alignment of the street at the corner of Yates and Blanshard Streets. The horse suddenly seized a young lady when she was crossing Blanshard Street and raised her off the ground.

A report from the Finance Committee which was adopted at last evening's meeting of the City Council recommended a payment of \$6000 to the Songster tribe of Indians in settlement of their claim for damages against the city in consequence of a saw being run through the reserve to connect with Allison Street.

Miss Ellen Fry, the greatest of contemporary actresses on the English stage and at the same time the best-beloved by the English-speaking playgoers round the world, is in Victoria to-day. She arrived on the afternoon boat from Vancouver and was met by several of the officers of the Victoria musical society.

Purchase of 30,000 gallons of tar, at a cost of seven and a half cents a gallon, from the B.C. Electric Railway Company, was authorized by the Saanich Council yesterday evening.

## HOUSING

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Full-time jobs, is the matter of housing. It is safe to say that the majority of these workers are living in homes which in so-called normal times would be considered unfit for human habitation. They are unsightly, unhealthy, and in some cases dangerous to live in. Leaky roofs, inadequate and old-fashioned plumbing, worn-out floors and stairs, combined with a general atmosphere of unwholesomeness and ugliness make for discontent and a tendency to criminality.

The system of relief work is uneconomic, unsound and morally degrading to the whole of human society, and reflects on the ineptitude of government. Hundreds of homes are reverting to the municipalities in the whole of Canada at tax sales, most of them unfit to live in.

A plan to rebuild on these properties and house the unemployed and part-time workers is being put forward for the consideration of all public bodies, trade unions, churches, societies and political organizations, and particularly for candidates for municipal honors in the southern district of Vancouver Island. Briefly, it consists of thorough inspection of municipally-owned houses, demolition by relief labor at decent wages, skilled labor to be employed in rebuilding, and finally the housing, rent-free, of these workers.

The money required for this scheme could be found out of relief allowances, or from special relief loans; the return to the community would be much greater in the enhanced value of all property and the general uplift of the morale of the poor people than the present insane method of forcing skilled, able workers to cut grass and brush, clean ditches and sidewalks, using hand instead of machine labor, special pooling for privileged industries, etc. The ratepayers would certainly welcome a plan whereby a better return for their mounting rates would be obtained and the citizens and tourists would be pleased at the removal of these eyesores.

We appeal to the general public to support this plan, and all candidates who accept it in principle, and make any further suggestions for improvement in the plan, and action in the future.

UNITED FRONT PLANNING COMMITTEE  
Communist Party, Victoria Section.  
564 Yates Street, December 4.

## UNEMPLOYMENT LEAGUE

To the Editor:—On November 30 you published a letter of mine in your columns in which I made the request that the business address of the Vancouver Island Unemployment League be published through your columns; also the names of the executive and the names of those elected on the committee to take charge of the undertaking, namely to provide a Christmas dinner for the children of the unemployed. This information was asked for the benefit of the public, who will, I hope, supply the necessary funds on tag day for the benefit of the children of the unemployed.

On Monday, December 2, an answer to my letter was published in your paper which was a masterpiece of evasion. Upon making inquiries I found there was no organization known as the Vancouver Island Unemployment League in the Bank of Toronto Building. Mr. A. Patton has informed me over the telephone that he is not connected in any way with such an organization.

Now I say openly, the only organization who call themselves the Vancouver Island Unemployment League are a few individuals who hope to enlist the sympathy of the public by

appealing for funds for the benefit of the unemployed children. Furthermore, this self-styled Vancouver Island Unemployment League does not represent the unemployed of Victoria—alone Vancouver Island.

If a tag day is going to be held would it not be a good idea to give the funds collected to the Gyro Fund to swell the Christmas hamper, thereby making it possible for the children to have their Christmas dinner at home where they should have it and eliminate the risk of misapplication of funds?

HENRY KIRKPATRICK,  
616 Garbally Road.

## MEDICOS IN ARMS

To the Editor:—The poor, sick and suffering indigent are served with an ultimatum by the Medical Association demanding cash down for medical treatment. The well-to-do amongst us will still be able to decide whether or not to pay the doctor's bill—or to decide whether or not he shall pay.

Without the production of bank books or other credentials, it may be difficult for the doctor to decide who can and cannot pay, and we hesitate to reflect on the complexities that may arise when the request for attention comes by telephone.

It should not be overlooked that our country's destiny lies almost exclusively in the hands of members of a very exclusive medical "union." It has become almost illegal to seek complete treatment from any other practicing curative measures—such as the autocratic actions of your M.D. The admitted usual practice of the doctor to overcharge those able to pay, in order to repay the cost of attending those less fortunate appears not to be working smoothly.

As a matter of fact the charges on your medical bill are usually far in advance of the schedule of charges prepared by the Canadian Medical Association—and you are expected to pay.

In view of the seriousness of such an ultimatum we wonder why children—uneducated and without proper medical aid and advice?

We find it difficult to conceive that such a body of men could go on record in refusing aid to these poor unfortunate.

Surely an opportune time to advance the provisions of government's proposal to adopt a health insurance measure that would not only fulfill an excellent purpose, but keep our people healthy and our doctors busy—the latter receiving adequate remuneration for their services.

This off-suggested health insurance proposal is much overdue, and should be brought to fruition without delay. It is too valuable a piece of legislation to be ignored, and a greater interest evoked by the public would assure its materialization.

In the meantime, our sympathies are directed to those who through misfortune, will be unable to receive medical attention, and who must continue to suffer—very disturbing when one considers that for a small contribution collected by the government under a suitable health scheme—the public could avail itself of complete medical and surgical attention—in addition to the facilities offered for hospital care, etc.

"SIGN POST."

## WAR AND REVOLUTION

To the Editor:—After reading several books on the Russian Revolution, I have reached what I now come to consider the inevitable conclusion that war is necessary. Many people who do not understand history will disagree with me. I know, as I, too, once belonged to the pacifists before I came to interpret history in its social sense. I now feel as Hegel said, "The path of progress is the path of conflict." For out of conflict usually revolution is born, and if not revolution, at least it wakes the people up to a certain degree and it is only through the gradual awakening of the masses that progress can be realized. Revolution is a normal and necessary process and the agonies which accompany it are birth-pangs of creation.

Every successive form of society develops within itself its antithesis—the antagonistic social form which is destined to destroy it. The new form slowly matures, a revolutionary situation is created, and on some suitable provocation (usually war), revolution breaks out. If revolution then, is proven to be the only way of progress for mankind, the natural question is how can this desirable situation be brought about. The only sure way a successful revolution can come into being is for the capitalist nations to

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go to war with each other. Therefore, if revolution is in the cards and war brings revolution, why then are small sections of our population so misguided as to be pacifists? Even a casual glance at our capitalist history books points all too clearly that mankind has advanced in leaps—the number of leaps depending on the number of uprisings preceded by war. Let then, these poor misguided creatures take out their history books and read!

K. S.

WHY?

To the Editor:—The following two extracts were not taken from "Alice in Wonderland" but from the same page—page 15—of The Victoria Daily Times for December 4, 1935.

At the top we read: "Flour prices drop 30 cents in a week," and at the bottom of the same page, "bread prices are boosted" because of the "increase in the cost of commodities."

Perhaps there is a simple explanation of this apparent contradiction. If so, I am sure many people would be glad to hear it.

J. LAWRENCE.

THANKS

To the Editor:—Through the medium of your columns, we, the members of the Phillips Creek relief camp, wish to tender our hearty thanks to Mr. Obee and his group, who paid us a visit Friday last. We wish to express our appreciation of their kindness and would more than welcome Mr. Obee and his group if they should come again.

J. LANDY.

## MEDICAL PLAN TURNED DOWN

Saanich Council Refuses to Aid Doctors For Care of Indigent Patients

Medical men of Victoria shortly will cease treating indigent Saanich patients, it was intimated as the result of an interview between a delegation from the Victoria Medical Society and the Saanich Council when the latter body turned down a proposal of the doctors to pay a flat monthly sum for assistance rendered indigent medical cases.

When the medical men placed their position before the council they stated that unless the corporation would offer to assist them they would refuse further assistance to the indigent.

The council felt it could not accept further financial burden at the present time, and that indigent cases would be handled by the medical health officer if the other members of the profession refused assistance.

It was intimated that if the work became too heavy for the health officer a part-time assistant would be employed.

## Winter Fair

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cer a part-time assistant would be employed.

The council also gave as a reason for turning down the proposal the fact that they did not think the medical men were suffering any more than business men in regard to unpaid bills.

The suggestion advanced by Dr. R. L. Miller as spokesman for the delegation, which included Dr. Chas. Watson, Dr. M. W. Thompson, Dr. A. Nash, Dr. S. Keating and Dr. A. Fraser, was that a flat rate should be paid to the medical society, which would distribute it according to the amount of work done among the men who had worked on the cases.

For the first few months it was suggested the municipality pay an agreed percentage of the bills and on the basis of these, the flat rate for the future would be determined.

During the interview the doctors agreed that state health insurance, if introduced, would alleviate their position. They pointed out, however, the minister had assured them state health insurance would not come into operation for at least another year, and in the meantime they must continue to carry the indigents as they had been doing.

"If we don't get this assistance

from the municipalities, we are going to cease our work," the doctors said. "The poor are your poor and not ours," they said referring to the responsibility of the municipality in indigent cases.

"What are you going to do if we can't get the money?" asked Reeve William Crouch.

"There is no such thing as not being able to pay," was the reply. "Isn't there?" said the reeve. "We can't go on raising taxes year after year. Any man who has been in public life for eight years like I have knows that."

AT OAK BAY  
The delegation also approached the Oak Bay Council with their plan earlier yesterday. Through an apparent misunderstanding the council was not informed they would be on hand and was not prepared to offer judgment on the plan.

The delegation was requested to put its scheme for a flat rate in writing, after which it was indicated a meeting might be arranged to discuss it.

Those who appeared before the Oak Bay Council were Dr. Miller, Dr. Watson and Dr. Thomas.

Bolivia's financial stringency is growing more serious.

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IT'S GOOD COAL!



Nanaimo-Wellington and Comox coals are clean, long-burning and high in heat value. Over eighty years of constant use have demonstrated that Vancouver Island Coals give more heat at less cost. Specify Island Coals and save.

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1223 DOUGLAS STREET

ISLAND COAL IS GOOD COAL

You can meet emergencies better

When YOU HAVE A TELEPHONE

B.C. TELEPHONE COMPANY

## To-day's Crossword Puzzle

HORIZONTAL

1. 6 Noted aviator.

10 Nobleman.

12 Vegetable.

13 To decree.

14 To imitate.

16 Skin.

17 Griddle cake.

19 Born.

20 Guards.

22 Senior.

23 Ecstatic.

25 Parent.

27 Steeped grain.

28 To ooze.

30 To think.

32 To make lace.

34 Earth.

36 To lease.

37 Satisfies.

39 Dregs.

40 Encountered.

41 Instant.

43 Large ox.

45 Half an em.

46 Unit of velocity.

48 Minor note.

49 Eating.

51 Birds.

53 Twice he.

54 He was one of the world's great.

55 Sun.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

JOHN BUCHAN  
MOO UNLIVE JOHN  
PEGS SLAKE BUCHAN  
ONSET APE M  
L SHAY SPA  
IRE AS S OS SET  
TIP WRITERS AGO  
IDOL TRACT SCOT  
C SAP ANU OAK E  
SP AS C EN RD  
ORB ETHER ANA  
OGEE EWERS ROTE  
GOVERNORS GENERAL

VERTICAL

1 More cautious.

2 Goddess of peace.

3 Burden.

4 Finish.

5 You.

7 Aperient.

8 Southeast.

9 Spigot.

10 He started as a

11 It is silent.

15 Peoples.

17 Clan group.

18 God of love.

20 Variety of cabbage.

21 Fat.

23 To rage.

24 To blind.

26 His last flight was the

27 Money, victory.

29 Aisle's victim.

31 Hammer head.

32 Beret.

33 Wigwags.

35 Genuine.

37 Wise man.

38 Razor strap.

41 Lunar orb.

43 Spring.

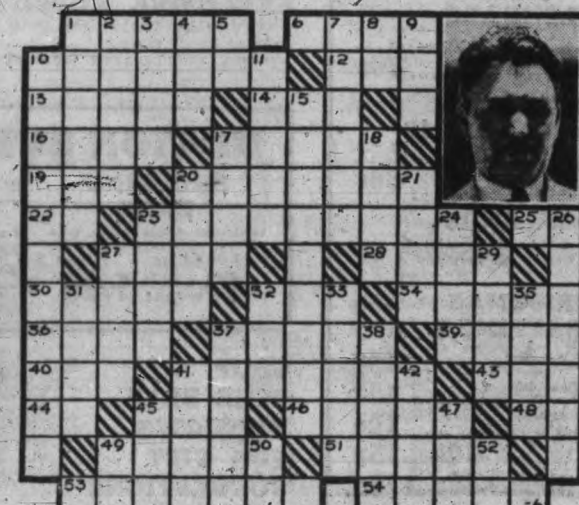
45 Spring.

47 Mine.

49 Spain.

50 Northeast.

52 Therefore.



## DO YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING BY BUS



Let Christmas Shopping be a real pleasure to you this year. Avoid nerve-racking traffic jams and the loss of time occasioned by a continual search for parking-space. The Coach Lines offers frequent bus service to and from all points in urban and suburban Saanich. A warm, commodious waiting-room is maintained for your convenience at the Broughton Street Depot.

TRAVEL BY BUS—COMFORTABLE—CONVENIENT—ECONOMICAL

## CHRISTMAS EXCURSION BUS FARES

TO POINTS ON VANCOUVER ISLAND

(Subject to Minimum)

GO FROM DEC. 20 UNTIL JAN. 1 BY JAN. 10

SINGLE FARE AND ONE-THIRD FOR THE ROUND TRIP

and special low fares of single fare and one-quarter for round trip for four-day periods at Christmas and New Year's

APPLY AT BROUGHTON STREET DEPOT OR YOUR AGENT FOR DETAILS

VANCOUVER ISLAND  
COACH LINES LTD.

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# SUPERB VALUES IN GIFTS AT "THE BAY"

1,000 Pieces of Silk and Rayon Gift

## LINGERIE

If you have not already done so, be SURE to inspect this wonderful group—you'll find exactly what you want to fill many of your gift problems. Satin Panties, real Silk Crepe, Lace-trimmed Sets, Teddies, Velveteens and Suede Taffeta Slips, Rayon Gowns and Pyjamas. Pastels or gay color combinations. Some in gift boxes!

**97c**

**SALE**

**200 Silk and Satin Gowns and Pyjamas**

Regular \$3.95 and \$4.95! Every woman loves gleaming Satin Lingerie—and here is a chance to make a saving on your Christmas purchases. Heaviest quality, all-silk crepe and satin. Exquisite imported lace trim. Pink and tea rose.

**2.95**

**Women's Gift Robes**

Ordinary Value \$2.95



Gay floral patterns on soft backgrounds of rose, blue, orchid and green. You'll like the nicety of finish, with narrow silk cord and silk braid girdle. Small, medium and large sizes. 60 only at

**1.97**

**Smart Wool**

**FLANNEL ROBES**

Excellent quality! Smart styles! All-wool flannel in stripes or plain shades of rose, blue, green and orchid... rolled or notched collars

**3.95**

**Evening Brassieres**

\$1 and \$1.25

Made of fine net or lace. Styled to wear with low-cut gowns. Uplift type in a good selection of styles.



IN ONE OF THESE

**TAFFETA FROCKS**

You'll Look as Youthful and Charming as You Have Ever Dreamed of Being

Frocks that were made to sell at almost twice their marked price—but a fortunate purchase by our Eastern Buying Offices has made this low price possible. Crisp, quaint taffetas as chic as can be... pastels, Renaissance shades and black. Sizes 14 to 20.

**4.95**

**Special Evening Dresses**

Also a special group of Misses' Hammered Satin Evening Frocks in pastel shades, red and Pasha. Sizes 14 to 20

**10.95**

**BLACK SILK EVENING JACKETS, \$6.95**

—Second Floor at "The Bay"

**NEW EVENING FOUNDATIONS**

—to give you lovely moulded lines when you step out in the evening attired in your evening gown. To look your best you must have a good Foundation! We have a good selection from

**5.50, 7.50 to 12.50**

—Corsets, Second Floor at "The Bay"

**ONLY 15 MORE SHOPPING DAYS TO FILL YOUR GIFT LISTS AT "THE BAY"**

Our stocks are wonderfully complete—our staff is alert—and our store is gay and cheerful in Christmas dress... so there's every reason for you to do your Christmas shopping in this pleasant atmosphere.

**BETTY HUDSON Will Shop for You If You Cannot Shop In Person**

Just write in to her and she'll see that your order is taken care of. You'll get choice merchandise at savings—of money, time and precious energy!

**"BAY" SERVICES Make Your Shopping Pleasant**

We invite you to make use of our Post Office, Telephone Booths, Writing Rooms, Wrapping Desks. And we have extra salespeople, extra wrappers, and an efficient delivery service, all ready to serve you.

**DINE IN THE VICTORIAN RESTAURANT**

Quiet, courteous service awaits you here in a delightful atmosphere. Special Turkey Luncheon, **50c**

—Fourth Floor at "The Bay"

**COFFEE SHOP**

For a quick lunch at a moderate cost, our Coffee Shop fills the bill. Full-course Luncheon for **25c**

—Lower Main Floor at "The Bay"

**"BAY" LIBRARY**

Solve that Christmas gift problem with a Library Subscription. Let "The Bay" Library convey your good wishes with the latest books. **50c** per month, or **\$2.50** for 6 months.

—Mezzanine Floor at "The Bay"

**Handbags Are Sure To Please And You'll Find It Easy and Pleasant To Choose Now**

**GLOVES 1.98**

The popular-priced Glove of today! Shown in a grand assortment... be sure to see them.

Plain Full-on Kid Gloves. Black navy, brown and grey. **1.98**

All sizes

Slip-on Kid, fancy cuff. All sizes. Black, navy, brown and grey **1.98**

Imported Washable Chamels. In white and natural. All sizes **1.98**

**PEC-TEX**

**Gloves 1.98**

The Cape Glove that looks like a plain. Navy, grey and brown **1.98**

SUEDE SLIP-ON GLOVES **1.98**

Soft, pliable skins—in 4-button length—perfect fitting. Washable, in light colors.

—Street Floor at "The Bay"

**A TIMELY SPECIAL IN BLOUSES**

Regular \$1.98! Colored crepes in the newest styles, selling at this price for one day only. Green, brown, navy, rust, gold and red

—Street Floor at "The Bay"

**PLAID AND CHECK SKIRTS**

**For the Smart Miss From 7 to 14 Years**

These are made like a fan—fully pleated. Sizes 7 to 10 on white bodice. Good selection of colors. A practical gift at **2.95**

**IMPORTED ALL-WOOL SWEATERS**

If you want something in a sweater that is just a bit different—see these! Round, "V" and square necks... touches of embroidery... beautiful colors.

8 to 14 years ..... **\$2.50**

2 to 6 years ..... **\$1.95**

**FOR GIRLS 7 TO 14**

**Silk Dresses**

Smart New Styles

Sunday-best Frocks for the young miss. Several different styles from which to choose, **2.95** and several colors

See this complete stock of beautiful up-to-the-minute Bags at attractively low prices!

At **\$1**—Styles and leather grains that are very pleasing.

At **1.59**—Another low-priced line in pouch and under-arm styles.

At **1.98**—Leathers that will wear—styles that are popular in pouch and under-arm.

At **2.98**—Intriguing styles in beautiful leathers. Splendid values.

Other groups at \$3.95, \$4.95, and up to \$12.50

—Bags, Street Floor at "The Bay"

**HOSIERY**

**YOU CAN BUY FOR**

Hose are always useful, always needed, always much desired as a gift!

ORIENT SERVICE WEIGHT, wears well and looks smart.

ORIENT DULL CREPE, fine appearance and good wearing.

ORIENT SHEER CHIFFON, ringless and exquisitely clear.

ORIENT SILK-TO-TOP, between service and chiffon.

LADY HUDSON SERVICE SILK, neat in appearance, well made.

LADY HUDSON DULL CREPE, has a good appearance and will wear to your satisfaction.

LADY HUDSON CLEAR-SHEER CHIFFON, smart for evening wear.

**LADY HUDSON HOSE**

SERVICE WEIGHT

Suitable for any and every occasion! We have all sizes in every line and a very large stock of all the up-to-date colors. Your hosiery requirements can certainly be taken care of here **\$1**

**PLAID SCARFS For Girls**

Cosy, and warm... they add a bright touch to a dark coat **\$1**

**FRENCH BERETS**

In navy, scarlet, brown or white. Small and medium sizes **59c**

**LADY LOO**

**HANDKERCH**

To Put In With Your Christmas Cards

Fine sheer lawn with embroidered corners. Each

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**ONE-DAY SALE! 10,000 BALLS HIGH-GRADE KNITTING WOOLS**

15c TO 25c PATON AND BALDWIN'S WOOLS

Large quantity of soft 4-ply Wools; also smaller quantities of Silverthread, Andalusian, Zephyr Superior and Bouclette. Good assortment of shades. No phone orders, please! Ball

**10c** LUSTROUS 2-TONE KNITTING WOOL **12c Skein**  
A high-grade English line similar to Purple Heather. Fast dyes and unshrinkable. The regular price of this line would be \$2.40 a pound, 16 plain and 8 marl shades. For one day only! **1.89 Pound**  
—Art Needlework, Second Floor at "The Bay"

**SLIPPERS FOR EVERYONE**

Give a Gift of PERFECT COMFORT to the Whole Family—Give Slippers!

**FOR MEN**

In leathers or plaids. All styles from which to choose. Priced at

**95c, 1.69, 1.98 and 3.50**



**FOR BOYS**

Sizes 11 to 5. Leathers and felts. Wonderfully comfortable. Priced at

**95c**

and

**1.45**

**FOR GIRLS**

Choose from any amount of styles. Cosy and comfy to wear

**69c**

and

**79c**

**FOR WOMEN**

Felts, velvets, leathers and satins. A wonderful array, priced at

**69c, 95c, 1.29, 1.75, 1.95**



**SATURDAY DRUG SAVINGS**

Cuticura Soap, 3 cakes **69c**

Fellow's Syrup, large **\$1.29**

Cal-Nu-Ma **69c**

Bayer's Aspirin Tablets, 100 **98c**

Kleens, 500 sheets, pkg. **19c**

Peppermint Tooth Powder **23c**

and **39c**

William's Shaving Soap, 50c

Brushing Powder, in attractive boxes, 50c

Elgin Compacts, loose powder **79c**

Liquid Petroleum, 16-oz. 3 for **\$1.00**

French Olive Oil, 5-oz. **34c**

English Epsom Salts, 1 lb. **34c**

NBC Malt and Cod Liver Oil **89c**

NBC Hot Water Bottles, fully guaranteed by "The Bay," 2-quart size **49c**

Combination Attachment Sets **49c**

Cottage Toilet Tissue, 4 rolls, **\$1.39**

Squibb's Dental Cream, 3 tubes, **50c**

Rubber-set Shaving Brushes **39c**

Robert or J. & J. Models, 18, at 2 for **45c**

Novelty Soaps, in gift boxes **50c**

Hospital Cotton, 1-lb. rolls **2 for 69c**

We have a large assortment of appropriate Christmas gifts

—Street Floor at "The Bay"

**NOW IS THE TIME TO CHOOSE YOUR Christmas Cards**

Stocks Are Fresh and Complete

**CARDS 79c Box**

Parchment Cards, beautifully colored; 16 assorted in each box.

**CARDS 6 for 15c**

In cellophane packets—6 in each packet. Suitable Christmas greetings.

—Second Floor at "The Bay"

**GIFTS**

from the

**Stationery**

**MOTTOES**

Richly painted, artistically framed. Suitable for any room **75c to 1.50**

**CALENDARS**

Real photographs of Victoria and surroundings. A lovely gift **75c**

**WRITING COMPENDIUMS**

In linen and vellum finish. The answer to many a gift problem **39c**

**BOOK ENDS**

—for the book lover. Many designs from which to choose. **\$1**

**CHRISTMAS WRAPPINGS**

Fancy Wrapping Paper **15c**

Cellophane Ribbon **15c**

Thin Ribbon, 6, 8 and 10 yards **10c**

Thin Cord **10c and 15c**

Seals and Tags **10c and 15c**

large assortment

**A NEW HAT FOR THE HOLIDAY SEASON**

**100 FUR FELTS**

Formerly \$2.95 and \$3.95

**1.95**

The season's smartest styles and colors in all head sizes. Plenty of brims, turbans and Halo types. Hats to suit matron and miss. Only

**HAT AND SCARF SETS**

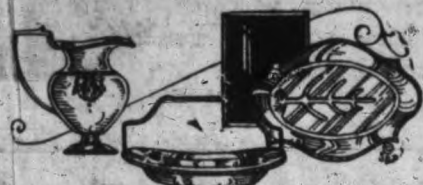
—also Beret and Scarf Sets



# THE BAY FOR EVERYONE

Visit Santa Claus in Toyland

## GIFTS OF SILVERWARE



A choice selection of better-quality silverware gathered together from all the leading factories to give the people of Victoria the best and most for their money.

Outstanding Items in This Group Are—

- Bakers' Cream and Tray
- Cake Plates
- Compotes
- Hot Water Jugs
- Sandwich Trays
- Flower Baskets
- Rose Bowls
- Cake Baskets

4<sup>95</sup>

## JUBILEE BABY PLATES

75 only! High-grade English Baby Plates with heavy edge. Picture of King and Queen in centre. Special 39c

## STEMWARE

1/2 PRICE

sparkling, cut crystal stemware from a leading Swedish manufacturer. One of our best patterns selling at half price!

Cocktails, regular	8.38	Sancerre Champagne, regular \$17.75, doz.	8.88
Claret, regular \$16.75, doz.	8.38	Finger Bowls, regular \$25.00, doz.	12.50
Wines, regular \$16.50, doz.	8.25	Desert Plates, regular \$2.75, each	1.38
Champagne Tumblers, regular \$16.50, doz.	8.25	Soda Tumblers, regular \$17.75, doz.	8.88
Liqueurs, regular \$16.50, doz.	8.25	Ala Tumblers, regular \$17.75, doz.	8.63

## HERE ARE PRACTICAL

## GIFTS IN STAPLES

Hand-embroidered Pillow Case, Size 12x35 inches.	1.49	Patchwork Quilts in gaily colored patterns, well padded. Size 75x75 inches.	2.95
White Turkish Bath Towels, with colored borders. Size 22x30 inches. Each	35c	Down Comforters, extra well filled. Size 75x75 inches.	4.95
Hand-embroidered Madeira Cloth, Size 50x50 inches.	1.95	White Flannel Sheet. Size 66x90 inches.	6.95
Hand-embroidered Madeira Napkins. Each	15c	White Flannel Sheet. Size 66x90 inches.	98c
		Each	1.19

## Satin-bound Esmond Blankets

In pastel reversible effects. Size 60x80 inches. A gift that she'll be delighted to receive 3.95

## EXTRA! SATIN-BOUND REVERSIBLE PASTEL WOOL BLANKETS

Regular \$6.95. Size 60x80 inches. Beautiful, soft fluffy blankets in dainty shades. Each 5<sup>98</sup>

## FUR-TRIMMED COATS

Smart new styles and fabrics—corded weaves and suede finish. Luxurious fur collars... many with vestees... fully lined and two-season Celanese linings. All new colors. Wonderfully low priced at 17

## FUR-TRIMMED AND TAILORED COATS

Outstanding values! A serviceable gift for mother, sister or daughter! Fur-trimmed models in fine wool crepes; tailored styles in grey Donegal tweeds and fine suede-finished woolsens, in navy. Misses' and women's sizes 12<sup>95</sup>

## TAILORED COATS

Practical Coats for school or business. Flecked tweeds, mannishly tailored, Raglan sleeves... belted models... fully lined with Celanese linings. Black, blue, green mixtures. Sizes 36 to 42 7<sup>95</sup>

## BUY YOUR COAT ON "THE BAY" BUDGET PLAN

Pay one-third down and one-third in 30 and 60 days. You'll find our Budget Plan very convenient and easy on your pocketbook!

## TOYLAND THIRD FLOOR

### "BABY HUDSON" DOLLS

Regular \$3.95

2<sup>95</sup>



Santa, here's a good boy... can't you just picture little Mary's delight when she sees one of these lovely Dolls! They are really adorable! Selling Saturday, only, at a saving of \$1.00.

## LOOK! ALL-STEEL TOYS

Specially purchased and specially priced. Good-looking, sturdy toys that will stand much abuse.

Rocket Ride-em	2.49	Scouters	1.95
Toy Cars	2.95	Patented Stamp	4.95
Ride-away Pedal	2.95	Wagon	1.49
Car	1.95	Toy	1.49

## AIR RIFLES—ALL MODELS

All the Latest Models, Sizes and Types

Slingshot	1.50	Repeating Air Rifle, each	4.95
500 shot	1.95	Bussington Air Rifle, each	2.95
Super 1,000 shot	3.50	Back Squeeze Air Rifle, each	3.95

## BABY GRAND PIANOS

—for the musically-inclined little tots— Finished just like a big one—excellent keyboard and tone 1.69

## XYLOPHONE SPECIAL

Made just like the standard Xylophone. You'll have lots of fun with one 29c

## RECORDING BANKS

A wonderful piece of mechanism... fireproof. Will hold any coin and all bills \$1

## BUCK ROGERS POP GUNS

Just like the Big Buck Rogers' gun in miniature, for the little fellows 59c

## BALL-BEARING ROLLER SKATES

Oh, boy! What fun on a pair of skates! Adjustable to any size... sturdy built, for miles of skating pleasure 1.49

## SALE! MCGREGOR GOLF CLUBS

AND BAGS 1/3 to 1/2 OFF Regular Prices

Most of the Clubs and Irons come in matched sets, but are priced individually for your convenience. All woods include drivers, brassies and spoons. Irons include all numbers from 1 to 9. A small deposit will hold until Christmas!

### McGregor Steel Shaft

Ladies' and Left-handed Included

Carnoustie, steel shaft, reg.	\$2.95	\$1.95
Hex and Par, steel shaft, reg.	\$3.95	\$2.95
Favorite, steel shaft, reg.	\$6.	\$3.95
Pacemaker, steel shaft, reg.	\$7.50	\$4.95
Tru-Whip, steel shaft, reg.	\$9	\$5.95
Model 33, steel shaft, reg.	\$10	\$6.95
Paragon, steel shaft, reg.	\$12.50	\$7.95

### McGREGOR STEEL SHAFT IRONS

Carnoustie, regular \$2.95	\$1.95
Hex, regular \$3.75	\$2.95
Par, regular \$3	\$3.19
De Luxe, regular \$6.50	\$3.95
Tru-Whip, regular \$7.50	\$3.95

### NEW OVAL AND ROUND GOLF BAGS

High-grade English Round Bags, regular \$3.95, each	\$2.49
High-grade English Oval Bags, regular \$4.95, each	\$3.50
English Oval Bags, regular \$6.95	\$4.95
English Oval Bags, regular \$9.95	\$6.95
English Oval Bags, regular \$12.95	\$9.95

### TRU-FLI GOLF BALLS

Made by Dunlop especially for the Hudson's Bay Company. Stores. An ideal Christmas gift... put up in gift boxes. Regular 25c. Saturday special, each 25c 4 for \$1

## FOUR-PIECE WALNUT BEDROOM SUITES

69<sup>50</sup>

Smartly modern in design... built of fine selected walnut... large plate mirrors... ample drawer space. Vanity, bench, chiffonier and double bed. A suite you will be proud to have in your home.



## NEW BLOUSES

For Christmas

Truly a remarkable assortment, featuring the glamorous, rich new fashion trends. Wash crepe and satin crepes... sleeveless, short and full-length sleeves. White, eggshell, navy, brown. Range of sizes 2<sup>98</sup>

## NEW WOOL PULLOVERS AND CARDIGANS

The colorful new tones are most attractive... novelty weaves, new necklines, smart bows, button trim. The Cardigans have four-button fastening and two pockets. Red, wine, rust, navy, blue and black. 2<sup>98</sup>



### Teddy Bears

Pluffy wool and satin bears in a dandy assortment of sizes. Some of them grow! 39c to 1.95

### Cowboy Suits

Chaps, belt, vest, hat and accessories. Attractive colors. All sizes, 5 to 15 years 1.95

### Tinker Toys

The wonder educational toy for children. In a neat and com. 69c

## "HUDSONIA"

THE MARK OF BETTER VALUE AND STYLE IN MEN'S FINE

Suits O'Coats Tuxedos 22<sup>50</sup>

New fine-quality fabrics and tailoring that guarantees perfect fit are special features of Hudsonia Specified Clothes. Here you will find style and quality and worth with sure appeal for young men and conservative types... all garments being smartly modelled. The suitings are particularly well selected in blue or grey serges, herringbones, or in a great variety of deeper-toned fabrics for winter wear. Sizes 34 to 46.

## "KINGSWAY" SHIRTS 1<sup>55</sup>

EXCLUSIVE TO "THE BAY"

—and tailored to our own high standard of perfection. These fine Broadcloth Shirts have proven themselves to be one of our most outstanding values! Pattern and shade selections that men prefer... Rignel pre-shrunk, which means permanent fit... two separate matching collars and collar-attached styles. Fast colors... 14 to 17 1/2.



## PURE SILK TIES IN GIFT BOXES, FOR \$1

A grand range of selected fine-weave silk fabrics in hand-picked patterns and shades. You may be sure that any one of these will please him! Neatly tailored and individually gift boxed. The very newest in men's neckwear!

## "KINGSWAY" PYJAMAS 1<sup>95</sup>

So great has been the success of our Kingsway Shirts that we now make this new offer in Kingsway Pyjamas. Not just ordinary value—every garment is in fine woven stripes or smart solid shades, tailored to full size, contrasting trim. Sizes 36 to 46

## SALE! MEN'S FINE GLOVES

Manufacturer's samples and clearing specials of fine Gloves—you would ordinarily pay \$2.50, \$3, and even \$3.50 for them! Deerskins, capeskins, pigtex and substandard peccary hog. The majority are lined. Sizes 8 to 10 1<sup>95</sup>

### BOYS' ALL-WOOL PULLOVERS

Better qualities in the season's newest selections. Firmly woven, fine, all-wool, "V" and zipper-neck styles. Heather mixtures and solid shades... neat contrasting trims. Sizes 24 to 34 1<sup>95</sup>

## GIFT SUGGESTIONS IN TOBACCOS

NOVELTY CIGARETTE CASES Just arrived! Specially priced at \$1 and 1.25

CHURCHWARDEN CHERRYWOOD PIPES — with porcelain inserts. Each 75c

CANTERBURY OUT PLUG PACKETS—New low price! Per packet 15c Per 1/2 lb. 85c



## BLACK TRANSPARENT SILK VELVETS!!

36-INCH TRANSPARENT VELVETS Rich, deep pile and lustrous finish. Will fashion into a stunning, softly-draping evening gown. Yard 2<sup>47</sup> Regular 3.95

BLACK TRANSPARENT VELVET 1<sup>39</sup> Regular 1.95

Why not give a dress length of this beautiful Velvet? A wonderful value! Yard

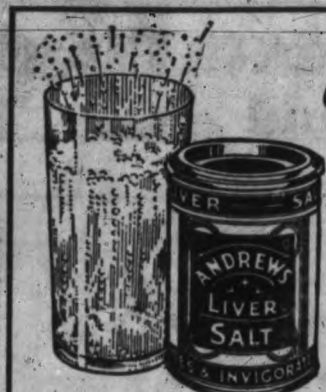
—Street Floor, at "The Bay"

Bay Company



2ND MAY 1670.





Good health for all  
the family

35c - 60c

## ANDREWS LIVER SALT

THE WORLD'S LARGEST SELLING EFFERVESCENT SALINE

### STORIES IN STAMPS

By I. S. Klein



The great masses of India were in turmoil. Whispers spread through the villages. The new Emperor of India, George V of England, appeared before them on the new stamps issued especially for that occasion, and bore on his breast the symbol of a pig!

It was 1911, after King George's accession to the throne of Great Britain the year before the stamp, which was issued for India, showed the new ruler wearing his Indian decorations, and down at the very bottom appeared the cause of the uproar. It was really a tiny pig, but before them on the new stamps issued especially for that occasion, and bore on his breast the symbol of a pig!

The stamp, printed in a series in 1911, is shown here, the elephant, appearing at the bottom of the medalion.

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### STOMACH MADE LIFE A BURDEN

Remarkable Remedy Ended His Trouble If you suffer from stomach trouble in any form—indigestion, dyspepsia, heartburn, flatulence, gastritis, acidity—you can enjoy the same quick, lasting relief which J.H.S. gained. Read his letter: "Early this year I had gastric influenza, which left me with chronic indigestion, with terrible internal pains, palpitation and constipation. For several months life was a burden; nothing gave me relief until I took Maclean Brand Stomach Powder. After taking it for two days the internal pains became less acute. In two weeks everything was quite normal. I can now eat anything without the least qualm." This gentleman's experience has been repeated times without number among former sufferers. The sure effectiveness of Maclean Brand Stomach Powder is due to the fact that it is made from a formula used in leading London hospitals to relieve some of the worst forms of stomach trouble. Doctors everywhere know and recommend it. End your stomach trouble this sure way. But make certain you get the genuine Maclean Brand Stomach Powder, identified by the signature "ALEX. C. MACLEAN" on bottle and carton. At druggists, 75c, in powder or tablets. Never sold loose. Distributors: Rigo



### HE'S GROWN UP DAD:

He shaves every day, just as you do.

For his next birthday give him the one

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## Melodious Comic Opera Well Staged By Locals

"The Chocolate Soldier,"  
Produced By Members of  
Civic Opera, Opens Three-  
performance Run at the  
Royal Victoria Theatre

By M.A.

Members of the Victoria Civic Opera presented "The Chocolate Soldier" at the Royal Victoria Theatre yesterday evening and made a good job of their handling of this outstanding work among comic operas.

The performance was the first of three, the others to be given this evening and Saturday evening.

With its Oscar Strauss intriguing melodies, which are apparently going on from generation to generation, "The Chocolate Soldier" proved to be a happy medium for the singing, acting and production talents of the members of the opera.

Doreen Wilson played the part of Nadine Popoff. She has personality, is at home on the stage and has a voice suited to the light music.

Fraser Lister played Bumeril. He improved steadily as the show progressed last evening, until in the later parts he was his usual top-notch self in both singing and acting.

Kathleen Barracough, with a rather fine singing voice, was Aurelia, the wife of Col. Popoff. Margaret Benson was Marchia, the third of the love-lorn female trio.

The other title roles were filled capably by James Matheson as Col. Asimur Popoff, Dudley Wickett as Alexius Spiridoff, Jack Kent-Parkes as Col. Popoff's servant, Stephen, Peggy McKie as Louka, another servant, and Clifford Prescott, who was one of the hits of the show as the blustering, high-stepping Captain Massakroff at the head of his high-stepping body of soldiers.

COLORFUL BALLET

A colorful Russian ballet was introduced in the second act by Phyllis Addison, Wynne Shaw, Dulce Hamlet,

Honor Benson, Isabel Benson, Dolly Bradshaw, Myra Batchelor, Gwen Dalby, Betty Moore, Gwen Hlewelyn-Thomas, Evelyn MacDougall, Sheila MacArthur and Ian Gibson, who carried out the male solo role with a vivacity that brought applause.

The large chorus was brilliantly costumed and was well trained, but a little addicted to the habit that seems to possess all amateur choruses—the habit of wandering off and taking its own sweet time independent of the conductor and the orchestra.

Those who made up the well-balanced and brilliantly costumed chorus were Vera Bailey, Mildred Blay, Grace Tuckey, Ruth Shepherd, Vivian McChill, Bessie Milne, Rene McLachlan, Peggy McKie, Joyce Redford, Eva Wiloughby, Marion Thornby, Katharine Stokes, Florence Parsons, Christina Paterson, Dorothy Parsons, Constance Plimley, Isobel Munn, Edith Mayell, Adelaide Marshall, Margaret Mackie, Josephine Lorenzi, Gertrude Handman, Rene Lindgren, Edith Lemson, Doris Kent-Parkes, Nora Johnson, Nan Hill, Florence Hall, Edith Hemmer, Beatrice Griffin, Jacqueline Fraser, Gladys Elliott, Dorothy Cameron, Dorothy Cave, Selma Curver, Clara Bowman, Olive Batchelor, Marjory Barker, Norman Tyrrell, Kurt Shaver, Percy Ridgely, Logan Mayhew, Gibson Mackie, Alex McGown, Jack Kent-Parkes, David Hunter, Philip Reel, Roy Denny, Frank Dunn, Clare Durbin and Donald Brake.

The two final acts in the garden of General Popoff's house were well staged, but the first scene, that of Nadine's sleeping apartments, with its impossible color combinations and curtains, was quite apparently not designed by any interior decorator.

Under the baton of Mr. Horsfall was a very capable orchestra of sixteen pieces, including Alfred Prescott as concert master and Helen Ockenden as pianist. Effrida Horsfall stage directed the production. Lorne Ogilvie was property master, Mildred Hamlet designed the costumes, which were all made in Victoria, and Stan McKay had charge of the electrical arrangements. Capacity audiences are expected this evening and to-morrow

which Rotary could not exist. It was this branch of the Rotary activities which kept the club in working condition for its other duties. The health of the club depended upon it.

The committees of each club bore the responsibility for club service. A co-ordinated membership plan was essential for the good of the movement. High attendance at meetings was also essential, because Rotary was a representative organization. The programme committee in a club was like the spark plug in a car, without it the working of the engine sputtered and ceased.

Vocational service, the heart of the Rotary movement, was a difficult thing to make articulate. Its main principle: were good business ethics and good business practices. Long before the NRA had been thought of, Rotary had established codes of fair business that in the opinion of many were more just and more effective than the political codes.

Community service was the logical working out of the principles of Rotary in each individual club. Within the last year, twenty-six clubs in the northwest district had spent more than \$500,000 in community service. To many the international field was the most important branch of all Rotary activities. In Canada and the United States Rotary worked side by side with other service clubs, but in the international field it was almost alone.

The world membership of Rotary was growing five times as fast as the membership in Canada and United States, said Mr. Long. In seventy-five countries there were now 160,000 Rotarians. Every major country of the world with the exception of Russia, Turkey and Ethiopia had Rotary organizations. There were 171 clubs in South America, 400 in Great Britain and 800 in Europe as a whole.

POWER FOR PEACE

Rotary was recognized by world leaders as a major force for peace. "Mutual understanding is the best basis for peace," said Mr. Long.

The district governor briefly traced the history of Rotary, from its foundation in Chicago thirty years ago, through the Portland convention of 1911, when the principles of service were introduced in place of those of business reciprocity, to the present day.

He urged members to take a more vital interest in the government of their country. The power, he said, eventually lay in the ballot and by the judicious use of the ballot voters could be performed.

Mr. Long was introduced by Percy Scurrah and thanked by Herbert Pen-dray, president of the club.

Rotarians were entertained with four piano selections by Miss June Richards, virtuoso in her early teens.

## DROPS LOSER ON LOSER

Declarer Makes Contract by Discarding Setting Card on Good Trump-Held by Defence

By WM. E. McKENNEY  
Some players find it difficult to distinguish between a constructive bid and sign-off bid.

There are times when a sign-off bid can be constructive. For example, in to-day's hand when North bids two diamonds, South's rebid of two spades is a sign-off bid, but at the

♠ K 8 5 3	♥ 9 7 3	♦ A Q J 7 3	♣ 8
♠ 2	♥ A Q S 4	♦ K Q 10 5	♣ 4 2
♠ 4 2	♥ 10 2	♦ K 5	♣ A 7
♠ A 10 7 6 4	♥ K 5	♦ A 7	♣ 4
♠ 10 2	♥ K 5	♦ A 7	♣ 4
♠ 4 2	♥ 10 2	♦ K 5	♣ A 7
♠ A 10 7 6 4	♥ K 5	♦ A 7	♣ 4
♠ 10 2	♥ K 5	♦ A 7	♣ 4
♠ 4 2	♥ 10 2	♦ K 5	♣ A 7
♠ A 10 7 6 4	♥ K 5	♦ A 7	♣ 4

Duplicate—E. & W. vul.  
South West North East  
1 ♠ 2 ♠ 2 ♠ Pass  
2 ♠ Pass 4 ♠ Pass  
Opening lead—♠ K.

same time it conveys certain information to partner. It lets him know that his original bid was sound and was based on a five-card suit.

Therefore North is justified in carrying the contract to four spades. In the play of the hand I was surprised to find a number of good players who failed to make their contract simply because they were careless. They boldly led out three rounds of trump and, naturally, when East got into the lead, he could see that the only way to defeat the contract was to switch to a heart.

The proper procedure is quite

Today's Contract Problem  
South is playing the contract at three no trump. The opening spade lead is won with the king. Should declarer make the diamond finesse immediately?

♠ J 10 9 8	♥ 7 6 2	♦ A Q J 10 6	♣ K 5 4
♠ 8 7 3	♥ A 9 4	♦ K 7 4	♣ K 5 4
♠ 6 5 2	♥ A 9 4	♦ K 7 4	♣ K 5 4
♠ A 5	♥ A 9 4	♦ K 7 4	♣ K 5 4
♠ A 5	♥ A 9 4	♦ K 7 4	♣ K 5 4
♠ A 5	♥ A 9 4	♦ K 7 4	♣ K 5 4
♠ A 5	♥ A 9 4	♦ K 7 4	♣ K 5 4
♠ A 5	♥ A 9 4	♦ K 7 4	♣ K 5 4
♠ A 5	♥ A 9 4	♦ K 7 4	♣ K 5 4
♠ A 5	♥ A 9 4	♦ K 7 4	♣ K 5 4

None vul. Opener—♠ J.

Solution in next issue.

simple. The opening club lead is won with the ace. Two rounds of trump are taken with the ace and king, and then a club ruffed.

Now declarer leads out his dia-

monds, hoping that East, who holds the high spade, also has three diamonds.

On the fourth diamond, when East trumps in, declarer discards a losing heart. In other words, he gets rid of two losers on one trick, reducing his loss to three tricks, and thereby making his contract.

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## Christmas Plea For Unemployed

Committee Opens Headquarters For Children's Gifts

The headquarters of the Children's Christmas Party Committee on Government Street, opened for registering children of the unemployed yesterday, and over 200 children registered.

The headquarters are being decorated by volunteer helpers. The following donations have been received:

Through the courtesy of the men and R. Wishart of Otter Point camp, Christmas trees and greenery; apples, Independent Fruit Company, Teng Yen Lee Company, David Spencer Limited; sugar, 300 pounds, Macdonald's Consolidated; potatoes, Mr. Carmichael, Yuen Fat and Lee Dye; lemons, Pioneer Fruit & Vegetable Company; candles, Lilley's; cocoa and coffee, Maitland Limited; turkeys, Crose Market and Mr. Brogan; toys, J. Stewart Steamship Company and P. W. Woolworth Company Limited; butter, Vaughan's; seal-rite containers, Smith, Davidson and Wright.

A great deal more food is needed in order to make this a happy event for the kiddies and an appeal is made to the public for the necessary turkeys, candies, nuts and fruit and toys. All donations may be left at the headquarters, 1327 Government Street.

## CITY LAND SALES GAIN

Increased Returns Reported  
For Year to Date From  
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Twelve new buildings, valued at an aggregate of \$36,000, were erected last year as the result of reverted land sales and transfers effected by the lands committee of the City Council, according to a report issued

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## Federal Loan Board Planned

Regulation of Borrowing in  
Canada May Follow Dominion-Provincial Conference

Canadian Press  
Montreal, Dec. 6.—Creation of a federal loan board to supervise and facilitate the financing of provincial needs which cannot be met by their own revenue is expected to be an outcome of the interprovincial conference opening at Ottawa next Monday, The Montreal Gazette said to-day in a dispatch from its Ottawa correspondent.

Such a board, The Gazette said, "would mean that the so-called raid on the federal exchequer will be stopped, that the requirements of the provinces will be closely scrutinized and that rigorous measures will be taken to end the budgetary deficits of the western provinces. Close study has been given this problem by Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Finance."

"There is little chance of the provinces surrendering any of their tax revenues to the Dominion, but at least a clearer definition of taxation boundaries will be made. The western governments are making a real effort to curtail expenditures and considerable success has attended those efforts in the past two years."

## DISPOSAL OF SHARES BLOCKED

Canadian Press

Toronto, Dec. 6.—Interim injunctions restraining the Crown Reserve Consolidated Mines Limited, Toronto, and the Proprietary Mines Limited, Toronto, from disposing of any shares in the capital stock of Omega Gold Mines Limited, were granted yesterday by Mr. Justice O. F. McParland.

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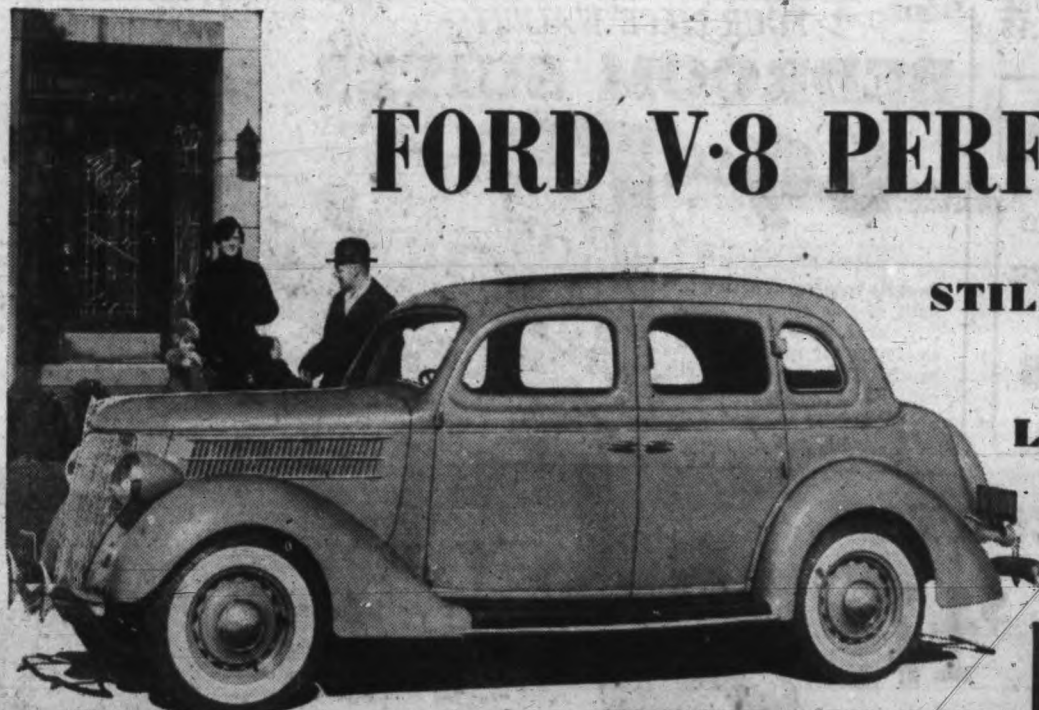
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## The GOLDEN FEATHER

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### CHAPTER IX

Jean said, trying to clear her brain of the sleep which the ringing telephone had interrupted. "But, Bobby, what makes you think you can sell anything to Mr. Montague? And how can I introduce you to him, anyhow? After all, I'm only his stenographer, and—"

"You leave all that to me," said Bobby confidently. "Just get me into his office, and I'll do the rest. The worst he can do is say no. And listen, Jean—"

"Yes?"

"You know why I'm going to try to do it, don't you?"

"Why?"

"Well... if I can do it, and make a couple of thousand dollars, like Mr. What's-his-name said... Jeany, will you marry me then?"

"Bobby, I can't be wakened out of a sound sleep to be proposed to! If you want to see Mr. Montague, come up to-morrow and I'll see if I can fix it."

"Okay. Good-night, sweetheart."

"Good-night."

So the next day Bobby did call Jean. Only the fact that Mr. Montague always seemed to take a kindly, rather faintly interested in her, rather than to make the engagement for him; but after a good deal of fumbling around she managed to persuade him to set an hour when Bobby could try his salesmanship on him.

"Tell him to come in to-morrow about 2 o'clock," he said, smiling. "I'm sure I don't know, but if he's your boy friend I'll take a chance on him."

She thanked him and, when she got a chance, called Bobby and gave him the news.

"What luck?" asked Bobby.

"Why, of course."

"Thanks. And say, honey, how do you want the living-room papered, anyhow? Personally, I always liked a dark, plain paper, but if you want some of that light, figured stuff a person sees so much of these days, why—"

"Bobby Wallace, what are you talking about?"

"Why, our new apartment, of course—the one we're going to have after Mr. Montague buys these bonds off me."

"Bobby, listen... I'm not—don't rush me off my feet this way. I told you I wasn't ready to marry anybody yet, and—"

"Oh, all right. But if I ever get that money in my hands, the rush is going to be something terrible."

When she hung up she stared at her typewriter and wondered what had made her say that. Only the day before she had insisted to Sandy that she was "practically engaged" to Bobby; to-day, when Bobby mentioned the matter, she had reminded him that perhaps the engagement wasn't so very definite after all. Why did she seem to have an impulse to head Bobby off when he spoke of marriage?

"I'm still too young to get married," she told herself doubtfully. Far down somewhere she heard her conscience jeering at her.

The next afternoon Bobby presented himself at the office promptly at 2 o'clock. Mr. Montague was busy at the moment, and Bobby had to wait some fifteen minutes before he could get in; and the door to Mr. Montague's private office had hardly closed behind him before Mr. Montague opened it slightly, stuck his head out, and said, "Oh, by the way, Miss Dunn, I've nothing more for you this afternoon; why don't you go home?"

Pleased to have most of the afternoon off, she hastened to leave; and it was not until she had got down to the lobby that she realized that Bobby would undoubtedly be anxious to see her as soon as he came out.

"I'll just kill a little time in the shops, and then wait for him in the lobby," she thought. So she strolled out to the sidewalk—and found Sandy standing there, a straw hat tipped jauntily over her head, smoking a cigarette. He dropped the cigarette, removed the hat, and sprang to her side.

"Well, now, isn't this nice?" he said. "And me just hoping somebody like you would come wandering out of there."

"Somebody like me? How much like me?"

"Oh—" They were walking slowly along the sidewalk, and Sandy was almost imperceptibly guiding her to the curb. "Just about your height, with coral-rose hair like yours, and a neat blue suit with a little red scarf, and a go-to-the-dickens hat tucked down over one eye—"

He grinned, and stopped. She discovered that he had led her to the door of his rooster. "Hop in," he said.

"I can't," she said. "I've—I've got to wait for somebody."

"Oh, we'll just ride around for ten or fifteen minutes and then come back. Come on."

She found herself obeying, and before she could find another word to say the car had moved away from the curb, and Sandy was guiding it through traffic.

"This isn't really a date, you know," he said.

"Isn't it?"

"My, no! I can't be having dates with a woman that's practically engaged. Anyhow, it looks like I can't say, sister, when are you going to forget about that gag, anyhow?"

"It isn't a gag."

"Well, whatever it is. Those horses are getting lonesome for us already."

"That was a nice ride," said Jean, incautiously.

"You mean to say you're never going to have another with me?"

She looked at him for a moment, and then, instead of replying, looked away. They were out of the downtown district already, heading east along one of the thorough boulevards. She looked at her wrist watch and turned again to Sandy with a little frown.

"Sandy, take me back now. I told you I had to meet someone."

"What time's your date for?"

"Well, it isn't exactly a date—"

"Oh—you mean you didn't have an agreement to meet anybody? You were just going to meet 'em on your own hook?"

She nodded.

Sandy grinned, and settled down a little more firmly behind the steering wheel, and increased his speed.

"Well, in that case," he said jubilantly, "I'm afraid you're not going to get there. We're going places."

An expression of mild alarm came on her face.

"Sandy, I thought to get back downtown... Where are we going?"

"Oh, just out to a little place I know by the river, where we can hire a canoe and go paddling up among the water lilies and such-like, and then eat some supper when we get hungry."

"Sandy, please take me back downtown—"

He looked at her; perhaps he saw, in her eyes, that she would not be so angry if he refused. At any rate he shook his head with a mocking smile and said, "Not a chance."

So they kept on driving, and half an hour later they were out of the city, following a highway that led to a little suburban town which lay in the valley of the mis-named Grand River. The river was small and not in the least grand, but it was picturesque, winding a lazy way between green fields, with great drooping willows on its low banks; and Sandy stopped the car beside a little casino, where there was a modest restaurant and a bathhouse.

(To Be Continued)

## The Truth About Diet

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEN

Nearly everybody thinks he knows combinations of foods which disagree with him.

Perhaps such diets do disagree, but that is not because of anything inherently wrong with the foods.

Nevertheless, a half-dozen dietary faddists have during recent years weakened the confidence of people in their diets and in their foods generally by arguing that certain foods are invariably dangerous in combination, and that health can be maintained only by avoiding such mixtures.

Notwithstanding the fact that many generations of Americans have grown up on meat and potatoes, there are faddists who insist that proteins should never be mixed with carbohydrates. Then there are those who say that an overabundance of acid is exceedingly dangerous, and that certain foods will invariably cause acid.

Now let me say at once that there are very few pure food proteins, and that those who want to eat pure protein will have to live on egg white.

The human body is maintained in health at a constant level of mild alkalinity. If the body ever becomes acid in reaction, it dies. All foods, after the process of digestion is ended, yield a substance which is either acid or alkaline, so that foods may be classified as either acid-producing or alkaline-producing.

Obviously a great excess in the diet of any of the substances which tend to produce acid may result in a slight excess of acid in the body.

Such foods as meat, egg yolks and fish are prominent among the acid-producing foods.

In general, fruits and vegetables are alkaline-producing foods. Such fruit juices as orange, lemon, lime and strawberry do not yield acid in the body. After they are digested, the end result is an alkaline reaction.

Hence, a human being in good health cannot possibly be acid.

There are, however, certain diseases in which the tendency of the body is toward acid. Diabetes is the most conspicuous example. In such conditions there is actually an accumulation of organic acids in the body, resulting from the fact that the body does not use up correctly the food substances that it gets.

There is also a tendency to acid in certain inflammations of the kidney, or when this organ is unable to get rid of waste products, which would ordinarily be passed out of the body.

When a person is suffering from a serious disease, he is not capable of selecting for himself the kind of foods that he ought to eat. Furthermore, he will require complete regulation of his life, and not merely his diet.

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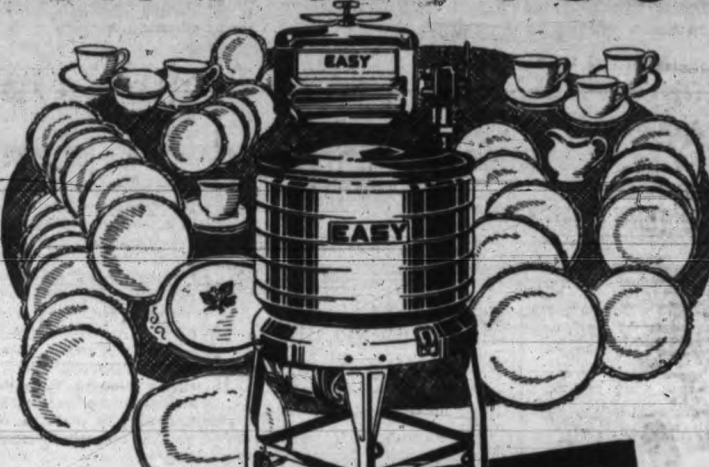
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## Your Baby and Mine

By MYRTLE MEYER ELDRED

BOOKS FOR CHILDREN SHOULD, ABOVE ALL, BE INTERESTING

A book, the right book, is so important to the child that it is a really serious question to answer intelligently. "What kind of book shall I buy?" The right book may easily be the open sesame to an imaginative

fairland, or it may turn the key on such a land. If it is the right book the child will immediately be drawn in its fact or fancy or adventure. If it is the wrong book it will be tossed away with the disgusted estimate, "It's no good. I can't get interested in it."

**TOO YOUNG OR TOO OLD**

Lack of interest may be no fault of the book itself, but indicates only that it is too "young" for the child or far more often, "too old."

Among adults there is too widely held a belief that books for children should be "improving," and informative. Always, to my mind, they should be interesting, and unless they are text books, their informative value should be a secondary consideration. Almost always we remember without

difficulty anything in which we are truly interested.

**TASTES DIFFERENT**

The child who reads constantly may the more quickly read through a particular stage of reading interest and go on to the next level. But, in general, girls from eight to twelve, will love the so called "girl" book which is a quiet, placid book of real adventure in a real world, a world the girl knows about because she is a vivid part of it.

Their brothers would scorn such a book. Brothers' desire is for the red meat of fiction, big adventures, bold heroes, bloodcurdling yarns about fearless heroes as stimulus to inspire him to meet boldly the foes, human, elemental and economic, which all boys must face and conquer.

**"ONE MAN'S MEAT"**

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To-morrow: Fast-gaining Baby Won't Sap Mother's Strength.

**SACRIFICED JOB FOR PRINCIPLES**

Canadian Press

Winnipeg, Dec. 6.—In her seventeenth year Miss Margaret Young, pioneer Winnipeg school teacher, principal and business woman is dead in Minneapolis, according to word reaching here to-day. She was on the teaching staff of the Winnipeg public schools from 1887 to 1900.

A champion of women's rights Miss Young's connections with the Winnipeg school board terminated when she contended women should receive the same salary as men for the same work and responsibility. The board refused to give the question sympathetic consideration and she resigned.

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## LEAVE FORTUNE TO CHAUFFEUR

Aged Pittsburgh Sisters Will Him \$200,000 and Mansion

Pittsburgh, Dec. 6.—Samuel Boyd was a chauffeur for twenty-five years, but now he is master of the big house on the hill.

He became heir to-day to the mansion and a fortune of nearly \$200,000 bequeathed by his aged employers, Margaret Nelson and her sister, Julia.

Boyd, about fifty, and head of a family, followed closely the practices of the sisters, closed the doors to visitors and declined to talk about his plans or the Misses Nelson.

He explained: "The Nelsons wouldn't have liked it."

"I respected their wishes when they were alive and it wouldn't be fair or kind to go against their wishes now."

Margaret Nelson died in March at the age of seventy, a few months after her sister, Julia, the elder.

Boyd became more of a son or brother to the women during his years in their service. Only two others shared in the estate of \$221,000—two cousins received \$18,000 each.

The chauffeur, his children and grandchildren lived in the big house part of the time, aiding the sisters in their hobby of keeping the lawns and garden in perfect shape.

The Nelsons clung to the fashions of the '80's. Their modern diversion was the big, shiny limousine driven by Boyd.

**WANT DOGS KEPT HOME AT NIGHTS**

An appeal to the Sanich Council to enforce provisions of the Sheep Protection Act, which prohibits dogs to roam from sunset to sunrise without their owners or someone in charge, was made by the North and South Sanich Sheep Breeders' Association yesterday evening.

The association pointed out the fact

contained such provision, and asked that police make every effort to enforce it, owing to heavy sheep losses from marauding dogs.

The question was referred to the municipal clerk for report.

**ITALIAN HOSPITALS IN ETHIOPIA AREAS**

Mogadiscio, Italian Somaliland, 7 p.m., Thursday, Dec. 5.—Italy is waging a winning war against tropical disease simultaneously with its military campaign in southern Ethiopia.

Fifteen full staffs of Italian medical units are prepared to rush from Mogadiscio to hospitalize completely the new territory the Italian troops are occupying rapidly.

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**ST. JOHN'S A.Y.P.A.**  
On Monday evening, through the kindness of C. P. Banfield, St. John's A.Y.P.A. was afforded the opportunity to see the operations of the machinery at the King's Printery. The bindery, composing and printers' rooms were visited, employees tirelessly explaining the various processes. Just before the three small parties started on their tour of the plant, Mr. Banfield briefly outlined the history of the King's Printery.  
The next meeting will take the form of an "at home" in the schoolroom, on Monday evening at 8 o'clock, when all branches of the city will be guests of the branch.

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## St. Barnabas Sale Is Well Patronized

The Ladies' Guild and Women's Auxiliary of St. Barnabas Church held a most successful bazaar on Wednesday. The guests were welcomed by the rector, Rev. N. E. Smith and by Mrs. W. Heatherbell, president of the Parish Guild, and Miss A. Raymond, president of the W.A.

The hall was a scene of great activity. The many attractive stalls, with their decorations of holly and red and green Christmas colors, were well patronized with most satisfactory financial results.

The following were in charge of the various stalls: Guild, fancy stall, Mrs. Carley, Mrs. C. Bosworth and Mrs. C. Norman; W.A. fancy stall, Miss C. Norman; Mrs. Abbott, Mrs. Perrin and Mrs. Cawley; home cooking, Mrs. F. E. Anderson; Mrs. J. Fyfe Wilson and Mrs. O. J. Brown; superfluity and surprise parcels, Mrs. D. M. McAulay; candy, Mrs. Morrill; spinning, Jenny, Mrs. Hunter and members of the Girls' W.A.

Mrs. Anderson did a brisk trade selling tickets for the box of groceries which was won by Mrs. J. Watson. Mrs. Morrill guessed the correct weight of the cake, and the doll which was in charge of Miss Pat Phipps was won by Mrs. Knott. House-hold, in the capable hands of Mrs. Songhurst, did a roaring business.

The daintily decorated tea tables were in charge of Mrs. G. Jones, who with her assistants, Mrs. H. Shade and Mrs. J. Watson, were kept very busy. In the kitchen were Mrs. Nellor, Mrs. R. Keene and Mrs. R. Watson. Mrs. W. Bessett and Mrs. Cuthbert Skinner were in charge of the tea tickets.

## Oak Bay United W.A. Review Year

Mrs. A. J. Gerry was unanimously re-elected president of the Oak Bay United Women's Auxiliary at the annual meeting held yesterday afternoon. Mrs. George Wilkinson was chosen first vice-president; Mrs. J. Fox, second vice-president; Mrs. Sydney Johnson, secretary; Mrs. W. Agar, treasurer; Mrs. Charles Hudson and Mrs. S. Bartlett, programme committee; Mrs. J. Sutton, flowers; Mrs. G. Cordner, Sunshine Inn; Mrs. G. Wilkinson, organist, and Mrs. Johnson, linen convener.

Thanks were extended to all friends who had supported the W.A. during the past year and to The Times and The Colonist for publicity.  
During the business meeting, Mrs. Gerry presided, when a donation was made to the sinking fund. It was arranged that a meeting be held once a month to sew for worthy causes. Mrs. A. Tinker, Wilmer Street, kindly offered her home for these meetings. The devotional period was taken by Mrs. G. B. Switzer. The next meeting of the W.A. will be held on the second Thursday in January.

## OBVPA CLUB

Modern religion was the theme at the regular meeting of the Obvpa, held on Tuesday evening. The devotional period was taken by Miss Nancy Hepburn.

After a short business meeting, the president introduced the speaker, Mr. Doyle McKim, a member of the society. Under the caption "A Christian Attitude Toward Oppression" he gave a most interesting and informative biography of William Lloyd Garrison.

Next week Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Horton will be the guest speakers. Their subject is "Burns Lake as We Found It," and all members are asked to be present.

Mrs. Gordon Sloan, York Place, Oak Bay, who has been spending a few days in Vancouver as a guest at the Georgia Hotel, has returned to her home in Victoria.

Capt. and Mrs. C. Tarrant of Beach Drive were among the Victorians sailing yesterday evening for New Zealand aboard the M. Aorangi. They will spend the winter there, returning to Victoria in the late spring.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Thomson of King George Terrace, sailed from Victoria yesterday evening for New Zealand, where they will spend the winter months. They were passengers on the outbound Aorangi.

Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Clayton of Duncan, who spent a few days in Victoria this week, sailed aboard the M. Aorangi yesterday evening, and will spend several months in Australia, New Zealand and Tasmania.

Mr. Norman Senior left Vancouver yesterday for Ottawa to take up his new post of secretary to the Hon. Ian Mackenzie. Mrs. Senior is remaining at their Vancouver residence, 4678 Belmont Avenue, until early in the new year when she will join Mr. Senior in the east.

Mrs. M. Clawson, who went down to San Francisco a couple of weeks ago, summoned there owing to the serious illness of her sister, Mrs. C. Ohnesorg, is expected back in Victoria to-morrow accompanied by Mrs. Ohnesorg, who will recuperate here for some time.

Mrs. A. Oates, entertained a few guests at the tea hour yesterday evening at her home on Woodlawn Crescent, Oak Bay, in compliment to Mrs. John Tonkin of Salt Lake City, who has been spending the summer in Victoria and who will return to her home in Utah about the middle of this month.

M. Paul Sutor, who has been consulting for France in Vancouver for the last ten years, was among the passengers sailing on the M. Aorangi yesterday evening. He has been appointed consul-general for his country in New Zealand, and will take up headquarters in Wellington. Mme. Sutor and their three daughters accompanied him.

A number of Victorians went up to Nanaimo to-day to attend the dance to be given there this evening by the officers of the 2nd Battalion of the 16th Canadian Scottish Regiment, including Brigadier D. J. MacDonald and Mrs. MacDonald, Colonel and Mrs. W. G. Colquhoun, Colonel and Mrs. D. B. Marlyn, Colonel W. Barry and Mrs. Barry, Colonel F. A. Lindsay and Mrs. Lindsay, and Colonel J. B. Kingham and Mrs. Kingham.

Arrivals at the Empress Hotel yesterday included: Miss Alice Wright, Briarcliff Manor, N.Y.; Mrs. W. H. Dobbie, Equinault; Mrs. Ralph Lomen, Seattle; Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Flynn, Seattle; J. N. C. Clayton, Vancouver; Chas. M. Gregg, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Redpath, Victoria; James Semple, Vancouver; C. H. Longueau, Vancouver; F. H. Smethurst, Vancouver; W. G. Stephen, Vancouver; Cecil Burgis, Vancouver; Stewart Robson, Vancouver; Lloyd Clench, Vancouver; Andrew Smith, Vancouver; W. Solomon, Vancouver; H. F. B. Brooke, Vancouver; H. E. Cottingham, Vancouver; A. M. Jago, Vancouver; A. A. Evans, Vancouver; W. A. Loughhead, Vancouver.

In complimentary farewell to Mrs. W. H. Dobbie, who will leave next week to join Major Dobbie in the east, Mrs. G. D. Edwards entertained at the tea hour this afternoon at her home on Glenhurst Road, Oak Bay. Assisting Mrs. Edwards at the tea hour were Mrs. J. H. King and Mrs. J. Sutherland Brown, who presided at the tea table which was centred with red carnations and for further table appointments had lighted red tapers in silver candelabra. Miss Elizabeth Edwards and Miss Marjorie Brown assisted in serving. The guests included Mrs. W. H. Dobbie, Mrs. J. Nelson Gibson, Mrs. V. S. Godfrey, Mrs. W. R. Stone, Mrs. E. W. Boak, Mrs. A. H. Panet, Mrs. H. F. Pullen, Mrs. Raugh-Allen, Mrs. A. E. Routier, Mrs. William Sloan, Mrs. A. H. Harman, Mrs. G. E. Walls, Mrs. Hugo Raymond, Mrs. Aubrey Kent, Mrs. C. B. Russell, Mrs. E. G. Morfio, Mrs. R. Mitchell, Mrs. Frank Buek, Mrs. T. MacPherson and Mrs. C. E. Wilson.

In their new clubrooms, Metropolitan Building, corner of Government and Courtney Streets, the Sketch Club of the Island Arts and Crafts were "at home" yesterday afternoon, when the sketches of the summer were shown to advantage about the walls of the spacious quarters, and tea was served at small tables in the main rooms. Miss G. Woodward was in charge of the general arrangements and Mrs. David Reid and Mrs. Shepherd had charge of the tea. Between eighty and ninety guests attended and enjoyed the charming display of water colors. Among the Sketch Club members who exhibited the 100 or more pictures were: Miss J. Crease, Miss G. Alexander, Miss O. Woodward, Miss Lettice, Miss Palmer, Miss Maud Bruce, Miss Freeman and Mrs. W. B. Young, Mrs. Hobbs, Mrs. Unity Baile, Dorothy Woodward, Mrs. David Reid, Mrs. Shepherd, Mrs. Percy Fletcher and Mrs. Charlton. A framed picture of Emerald Lake and Mt. Burgess by the late Miss Georgina Newton, presented to the Island Arts and Crafts on behalf of her sister, Miss F. M. Newton, was the object of much admiring comment.

Mrs. C. I. Harris, Simcoe Street, who has been spending a few days in Seattle with relatives and friends, has returned to her home in Victoria.

Mr. J. K. Hodges, manager of the Empress Hotel, and Mrs. Hodges are spending a few days in Vancouver.

## ENJOYING HER BIRTHDAY



Ethel Elizabeth Thomas, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Thomas, 3283 Albion Road, who is three years old to-day.

## King's Daughters As Fine Saleswomen

Miss Agnew formally opened the very successful Christmas bazaar arranged by the King's Daughters and held in the Conservative headquarters, Campbell Building, yesterday afternoon. After her graceful little speech, Miss Agnew was presented by Mrs. William Russell, the president and general convener, with a dainty corsage bouquet.

The gaily decorated stalls did a brisk business, the members proving efficient saleswomen. The home-made mince-meat, which was a feature of the Victoria Circle's touch-and-take stall, rapidly disappeared, as did the many charming novelties at the stall arranged by the Speedwell Circle.

Beautifully made plain and fancy work, together with delectable home-made candy, was sold by the Fellowship Circle, while the fascinating handkerchiefs at the Hawthorne Circle stall found ready purchasers. The Ready-to-help Circle's stall of home cooking was a popular one. Games attracted many to the corner in charge of the L. H. Handle Circle. Tea was served at daintily appointed tables in charge of the Minstrel Circle. Mrs. William Russell, Mrs. Agnew, Mrs. David Spencer and Mrs. James Stewart presided at the tea urns.

The pleasure of the afternoon was enhanced by the musical programme arranged by Miss Kathleen Roberts, and including songs by Mrs. W. A. Jameson, Mrs. Harry Lasenby and Mrs. Styles Sehl; recitations and violin solos by Julia Kent Jones, and dances by little pupils of Miss Violet Welch, including Patsy Hime, Maxine Russell and June Gibson in songs and tap dance solos, and Lois Russell in a tap dance. Miss Jessie Jones was the accompanist for the dancers, and Mrs. Charles Conyers supported the singers at the piano.

The Christmas cake, made and decorated by the Bon Ton, was won by Mrs. Greaves and Mrs. S. Norris, both coming within two ounces of the correct weight, which was nine pounds five ounces.

## MAKES COME-BACK ON BROADWAY



The happy smile Libby Holman wears has nothing to do with the little matter of the fortune that a recent court decision thrust into her hands in settlement of the estate of her late husband, Smith Reynolds. It simply marks her satisfaction over the success of her come-back effort which has made her again one of the favorite entertainers of Broadway's exclusive night life sector. She's pictured here as she made her debut at a cabaret.

## Weddings

McBRIDE-EMDE

Port Alberni, Dec. 6.—Beneath a white pulled wedding bell with a background of golden, bronze and white chrysanthemums, the wedding was solemnized on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. D. C. McBride, between Margaret Letitia, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Emde, and Mr. Matthew Park McBride, youngest son of Mr. D. C. McBride and the late Mrs. McBride. Rev. A. McLean performed the ceremony, and Miss Ella White played the bridal music, while Mr. Alvin McBride supported his brother as best man.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was a charming figure in her traveling gown of glory blue travel silk, in tunic effect, with deeper toned mirror velvet. Her turban of harmonizing velvet had abbreviated veil, and she carried a bouquet of pink roses.

Miss Edna Emde was her sister's attendant, wearing a pansy colored gown of silk crepe, with collar of ivory suede. She wore a Breton sailor of the white suede, and carried pink carnations.

During the signing of the register, Miss Sara McBride, sister of the bridegroom, contributed the solo, "At Dawning."

Following the service, a buffet supper was served, Mrs. Emde, sister of the bride, and Mrs. S. Stewart, sister of the bridegroom, receiving the congratulations with the young couple. Mrs. Emde wore resat brown crepe, with polka dot collar and brown hat, while Mrs. Stewart wore a striking model in black satin relieved with white.

The three-tiered wedding cake centred the bride's table, flanked with four lighted tapers in silver sconces and vases of rose buds. Mr. and Mrs. McBride left later for Vancouver and Victoria, the bride wearing for travel a smart coat in brown tweed with collar of brown wolf, over her bridal gown. They will reside in their new home at Kingsway, Port Alberni. The bride is a well-known vocalist and medalist at recent Musical Festivals, and has devoted freely her talents for many philanthropic undertakings in the district.

## BAPTISTS PLAN YOUTH RALLY

Young People to Hear Rev. M. A. Talnicoff Saturday

The annual city-wide banquet and rally of the Baptist youth people of Victoria will take place in the schoolroom of the Emmanuel Baptist Church, corner Fernwood Road and Gladstone Avenue, on Saturday, December 7, commencing at 8:15 p.m. The committee in charge of the arrangements for the gathering, to which all Baptist youth people are invited, have been indeed fortunate in securing as guest speaker for the occasion Rev. M. A. Talnicoff of New Westminster, president of the Provincial B.Y.F.U. Council. Mr. Talnicoff is well known throughout the entire province as an ardent young people's worker. Frank Patch of Vancouver, recognized leader of Baptist young people's workers, will also be in attendance to take part in the gathering.

There are 40,000,000 widows in India, many of them under eighteen years of age.

Among the guests registered at the Dominion Hotel are: Mrs. D. S. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. A. Homewood, Vancouver; Mr. W. B. Beaven, Nanaimo; Mr. J. N. C. Clayton, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. P. Baker, Fort Alice; Mr. V. C. Young, Vancouver; Mr. D. F. Johnston, Lismore, Seattle; Mr. D. F. Johnston, Cowichan; Mr. P. S. Shestnut, Vancouver; Mrs. P. S. Shestnut, Vancouver; Mr. P. S. Shestnut, Vancouver; Mr. A. Macaskill, City; Mr. B. A. Childhouse, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Wellburn, Sooke Lake.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Aberly of 1874 Deanna Street was christened at St. John's Church on Sunday afternoon, December 1. Canon F. A. P. Chadwick officiating. The baby received the names Patricia Phyllis, and the godparents were Miss Dorothy Elene Jones, Miss Doris Dumbleton, and Mr. Stanley H. McKay. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Aberly entertained at their home, the supper table, with its attractive christening cake, being decorated in pink and white. The guests included: Miss Dorothy Jones, Miss Doris Dumbleton, Miss M. Fraser, Miss Minnette, Mr. and Mrs. Riches, Mr. and Mrs. Henn, Mr. and Mrs. Fenwick and Raymond, Miss Olive Earle, Mrs. George Earle, Mr. Stanley McKay, Mr. Buddy Larkin and Miss Audrey Aberly.

Nazarine Shrine No. 1, White Shrine of Jerusalem, held an enjoyable guest and bridge tea at the K. of P. Hall on Wednesday afternoon. The tea table was decorated with a large silver basket, filled with yellow and white chrysanthemums, and yellow streamers on a white ground. Serving were Mesdames L. A. Lucas, E. Smith, G. Miles, J. T. Clark, J. McIntosh, R. Feden, R. Smith, A. Killam, assisted by Mesdames E. Pullen, E. Davidson, J. B. Thomson and C. Johnston. Mrs. J. B. Thomson, Mrs. F. Sanders and Mrs. H. McCloy were in charge of the novelty stall. The programme was arranged by Mrs. B. C. Pettigell. Those taking part were Miss Betty Couch, Mrs. H. Noel, Miss Phyllis Dea, Miss Betty Cameron, Master G. MacDonald, Misses Sylvia and Margaret Welch and Joan Pearson. The accompanists were Miss Sheila Conway, Mrs. B. C. Pettigell, Miss Green and Mrs. G. Dea. Mrs. C. Camp was in charge of the contract and auction bridge. The winners for contract were Mrs. J. Trace and Mrs. R. Hartley, and at auction, Miss Helen Ockenden and Mrs. L. D. Hall were the winners. Mrs. H. O. Austin was general convener. The players were: Mesdames A. Killam, C. Johnston, L. D. Hall, P. Sanders, J. Rogers, P. Cunningham, R. Balfour, T. F. Wallace, R. W. Murdoch, D. Dunlop, N. Kelly, C. Chesley, E. F. Wiltshire, E. Pullen, R. Feden, Miss Helen Ockenden, Mesdames L. Shepherd, E. M. Davidson, George Miles, L. Lucas, F. L. Richards, H. O. Austin, J. B. Thomson, G. Fraser, Mesdames T. Welch, M. Mansfield, A. Fellow, C. Ockenden, W. Blance, R. Smith, G. Fish, V. Pullen, B. Jones, Homer, J. E. Elliott, E. Dickinson, Thorne, W. C. Vey, W. White, H. A. Dane, J. Flack, J. Clark, J. Gilles, T. MacDonald, A. D. Tripp, E. Smith, T. Burras, H. D. Reid, E. G. Jones, J. B. Sewell, W. Orr, J. McIntosh, H. Harrison, G. Austin, F. McGee, C. Bingham, J. W. Phillips, F. Flaherty, G. W. Brown, Bean, H. McCloy, W. Hyslop, J. H. Clark, F. E. Doidge, H. Catterall, D. Clark, R. J. Hartley, P. V. Ford, C. H. Cross, G. R. Fleming, F. A. Hole, J. H. Trace, G. H. Sedger, D. Beaman, Fitzsimmons, W. H. Bland, Miss Audrey Bland, Mesdames T. D. Roberts, G. A. Yardley, J. Rose, D. G. MacDonald, A. Florence, J. Knowles and Mr. and Mrs. George Kelman.

## CHAPTER TRIBUTE TO EARL JELICOE

Special tribute was paid at the commencement of the meeting of the Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter held yesterday to the memory of the late Earl Jellicoe and also to W. D. Harris, grandson of Sir James Douglas who was accidentally killed recently. Great sympathy was expressed for their relatives in their sad bereavement.

Considerable discussion took place at this meeting regarding the proposed raising of fees to the provincial chapter. This question will be further discussed at the January meeting.

As a result of the successful bridge tea held recently to commemorate the birthday of British Columbia, the sum of \$20 was voted towards secondary education. The regent, Mrs. Colin Cummins, thanked those who had been instrumental in making the affair a success.

Mrs. R. B. McMicking, who has faithfully performed this service for many years past, was once again asked by the chapter to present the Christmas gifts to the Red Cross and the Seamen's Institute.

Several copies of The Illustrated London News have been presented to the Sir James Douglas School on behalf of this chapter. The usual donation to the Y.W.C.A. Travelers' Aid was voted paid. Reports were read by Mrs. Pillar on behalf of the Echoes secretary aid by Mrs. J. Shaw, the treasurer. Donations will be sent to the Sorority work in India and the Mary Croft Memorial at the Solisium.

The cushion for which tickets were sold at the bridge tea was won by Mrs. Beckett.

CENTENARIAN HALE AND HEARTY  
Scranton, Pa., Dec. (Associated Press).—Though she has been on this earth 100 years, Mrs. Bridget Maloney of nearly West Minooka, never saw a movie and says she has no desire to see one. Celebrating her birthday yesterday with her four sons and daughters, she said she was "as hale and hearty as a buck goat."

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The collection will be on view again at 10 o'clock on Monday morning, and will continue during the week, closing each evening at 9:30 o'clock and concluding Saturday evening, December 14.

The exhibition will include upland scenery, particularly around Qualicum, Shawnigan Lake, Cowichan River and Goldstream, and local gardens, scenes in the environs of Victoria and floral sketches. Interested friends and the general public will be welcomed at all sessions of the exhibition.

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merrily on, for this day I did save many bits of money. Methinks, 'twould be wise to entice Samuel into accompanying me again before the shopping days be over.

Thursday, December 5.

Up betimes—and to the breakfast table with many thoughts within my mind . . . with distressing state of my purse upmost. Much happier when Samuel did come with me to accompany me upon my shopping . . . fer if he be in such good humor, should not be hard to arrange it so my money pouch doth remain snugly within my muff this day.

Dress in haste and accompany Samuel straightway to Barber's Toy Shoppe upon Douglas Street. Spend some time here over selection of books. Fine great shelves all filled with bright pages for all ages of children. Here be wee unpearable books for tiny hands . . . then "Mother Goose" and all her jingles. Next, fairy tales, that ever leave one starry-eyed with wonder. Tales for teen ages and metics for the great volumes of annuals. Laugh long over quaint book of Mickey Mouse stories . . . with Donald Duck and all the characters within.

Have some time to wait for Samuel, who doth tinker over some mechanical toy . . . so stroll on to McFarlane's Drug Store. Much interested here in Helena Rubenstein's new clear-toned rose cotia shade in cosmetics for fair women. Her gift packet, too, doth contain everything for beauty . . . and 'tis priced but \$2. Millot's "Crepe de Chine" are entrancing new perfume, just arrived. [a] It do speak of moonlit eyes. Here be fine new sachets from Lenthéric in all perfume odors . . . very modern. These in fine glass bottles with black enamel tops.

Meet Samuel upon the street again and with much diplomacy turn his steps up Yates Street and to McMartin's Leather Goods Shoppe. In mind, this goods shoppe be useful gift this season. McMartin's do have a wonderful display. With much forthright they do buy, not only perfect bags for mature women, but more reasonable varieties for growing girls, or perhaps high school and college student. Good bags, at prices as low as 95 cents. Then, too, there be evening bags of every sort and kind, to please all hearts.

Straightway to Ake Minnie's Drug Store, for he doth have a wonderful selection of goods gifts for men. Samuel do have many friends. Yerdley's Giftette Sals ever do please the fastidious. Shaving bowls, too, of fine light wood just right to hold within the hand and with goods to keep them dry. Some be made by much taken with new brush sets—by Fro-phry-lac-tic—with perfect bristles, and unattachable chromium backs. These be splendid gift. Then, the ever-popular Rols Razor be perfect gift for man.

Leave Samuel in goods talk with Mister Minnis, while I do cross Yates Street and within Needle Craft Shoppe. Tis here one doth come across unusual gifts that be different. Dainty compacts, of petti point, that do fit perfectly within a purse. Wee sewing kits made of this same fine wool, with needle and thread threaded within. Knitting Bags of Tapestry or Waffle Cloth be ideal gift for those who do sew or knit overmuch. So modern these be 'tis possible to make use of one for overnight bag.

Come without to ring almost within the arms of Mister Weatherby. He did immediately stop. With apch manner doth seem to scorn all talk. I do feel very important. Samuel coming toward us did not feed rō, I could well see. Much ado to bring smiles to his countenance again as we go on down Yates Street. Tis only within Digmons at 1208 Government Street that he doth loose his scorn. 'Tis so loaded with Clatish air atmosphere.

Notepaper be ever very interesting. Fine linens, in boxes of every shape and color be within this shoppe. Digmons do offer great service here Initials embossed in gold . . . free on goods gift stationery.

 valued at \$1.50 or more. This doth make distinguished gift for any person. Samuel do pick up modern-style box of Cameo Riddle Vellum. Methinks it be for some lady . . . but say nothing, saving in mind Mister Weatherby's real intention.

Now do hurry on to Period Arts within Belmont House, for Samuel be ever interested in Mister Reynold's great display. We find here old copper lustre jug and teapot that be exquisite in its design. This ware doth grow scarce as years go by. A new display of goods brasses and pewters, but just arrived—Elizabethan hand bells, tea caddy spoons . . . all very different. Toasting forks . . . but 75 cents. Brass door knockers that take shape of sailing ships of long past years. And cigarette ash trays that do look like miniature burning paths. Mister Reynolds doth well know that good taste ever doth make a gift.

'Tis amazing to walk straight from cold, clear, early winter afternoon to soft warmth that do speak of lands beyond the sunset. Twas that we did . . . Samuel and myself . . . when we discovered Ind-Ceylon importers at 807 Fort Street—'t was here, direct from those far countries, doth come fine India and Ceylon teas. We did sample a

such perfect collection of wine, some red, some white, or wine, perhaps . . . or savor such good taste of tea. Finde there be gift suggestion here, useful, yet economical.

Fachels be must be up of "Faj Mahal" . . . with green wrappings; "Residency," in blue "Toonbarrie," in orange. Together with bright Christmas box 'tis gift that would indeed be appreciated. Prices be 60, 70 and 80 cents a pound. Then, there be pure Ceylon Broken Orange Pekoe, \$1.00 a lb. Here be good gift for mailing to friends within United States or Canada. The Indo-Importers do pay half postage on a mailing orders.

With difficulty I do drag Samuel away from romantic tales of tea growing. Only when I do speak of going within the Poy Shoppe at 628 Fort Street doth he give consent. Wearwell doth sail this night with other friends for New Zealand. Tis within my thought to send her posies to her stateroom upon the ship. Methinks little thoughts like that do make people know they do have friends. Mistress Whyte do wish small box or large one do wish and deliver it safely within plenty of time. Tis hard to choose . . . there be so many flowers. Roses, soft scented bits of mystery, be hard to pass. Then the perky carnations and the shaggy chrysanthemum, that do speak of year's end. Whatever it be . . . 'tis very sure, flower for our voyage be much appreciated.

Now to English Bakery, for Samuel doth express a wish to again send delectable Yuletide puddings to friends overseas. Methinks, they do look forward to these rich plum puddings as much as any other thing—[a] and to suit of their surprise hamper there be no gift more welcome. They may be ordered in sizes from one pound and do sell at 75 cents a pound. English Bakery rich dark fruit cake be perfect for mailing away. And the fine shortbread they do make is for anyone who have a sweet tooth. Here, a gift that be better than any other.



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marily on, for this day I did save many bills of £1.00 each. 'Tis would be wise to entice Samuel into accompanying me again before the shopping days be over.



## PARISIAN APPROVAL



The needed touch of color in this all-black outfit that is trimmed with luminous silver fox is provided by a pattern through the addition of a colored, sparkling pin on the velvet hat. The coat is of velours d'haine.

## BROADCAST FOR HAMPER FUND

Hudson's Bay Company Sponsors Saanich Welfare Programme To-night

In support of the Saanich Welfare Christmas Hamper Fund a special broadcast will be presented over station CPTC to-night, beginning at 8 o'clock, under the sponsorship of the Hudson's Bay Company.

The company's Beaver Club choir, winners in the commercial choir class at the B.C. Musical Festival in Vancouver this year, will take part in the broadcast.

The drive will be formally opened by Rev. William Crouch to-night. The broadcast is the first of a series of four, the second of which will be to-morrow night, the third on Saturday, December 21, and the last on Monday, December 23.

Headquarters for the drive are in the Scott Building, Douglas Street. The active work of taking registrations and packing hampers will start next week. This year the objective is 500 hampers. Last year 400 were distributed.

To-night's programme is as follows: Chorus—(a) "With Jockey to the Fair" (Jacobs), (b) "Orpheus With His Lute" (German). Quartette—"Lo, How a Rose" (Prætorius), Miss E. Telford, Miss H. Butterfield, J. Walton and J. Penn.

Solo—Percy Mickleburgh. Chorus—(a) "With Jockey to the Fair" (Jacobs), (b) "Orpheus With His Lute" (German). Quartette—"Lo, How a Rose" (Prætorius), Miss E. Telford, Miss H. Butterfield, J. Walton and J. Penn.

Solo—J. Oakman. Chorus—(a) "Awake! Awake!" (Wood), (b) "Lullaby" (Brahms). Carol—"Hymn for Christmas Day" (Goss). Mrs. S. Bartlett and choir.

Chorus—"Morning" (Speaks). Cyril O. Warren, L.R.S.M., A.T.C.M., will direct the choir. The accompanist will be Mrs. Grace Timp. L.R.S.M.

## Juvenile Soccer

Victoria West Cubs will be at home to Hill's Corner in the feature Juvenile Soccer League game to-morrow. They will meet at Central Park at 10.30 o'clock, with Sid Thomas refereeing. Each team has won, lost and drawn in three previous games, so a good fast game should be witnessed.

The Cubs will choose their players from the following, who asked to be at the ground not later than 10.15: Prendergast, Page, Grogan, Kennedy, Muir, Rowell, Murdoch, Brown, Davies, Lee, Ruffner, Booth, Smart, Minnis and Whittle.

The other match carded will bring together Wimpy's Capitals, League eleven, and Esquimalt Meat Market, at Heywood Avenue, at 10.30 o'clock. E. Borden will handle the whistle.

## Held Unique Bridge Hand

G. A. Cochrane of Sidney Drew All-fair-card Hand and Bid Seven No Trump

"Sidney, Dec. 6. — Amazing hands have been dealt in contract bridge, but there is apparently nothing on record to equal the hand held by G. A. Cochrane while playing a friendly game at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. Blyth, Marine Drive.

To his utter amazement, Mr. Cochrane held the ace, king, queen of spades; ace, king, queen of hearts; ace, king, queen, jack of diamonds; ace, king, queen of clubs. He bid seven no trump, 1,370 points, and, of course, made it. Mrs. Blyth was his partner.

The cards were shuffled, cut and dealt in the usual manner. Mrs. G. Cochrane being the dealer.

Here were the players' positions: East—Mr. Cochrane. South—Mrs. Cochrane. West—Mrs. Blyth. Here is the view of the hands:

North  
S—7 6 4 2  
H—J 10 8 5  
D—5 2  
C—8 5 4

West  
S—10 8 5 3  
H—4 2  
D—10 8 6  
C—3 9 7 6

East  
S—A K Q  
H—A K Q  
D—A K Q  
C—A K Q

South  
S—J 9  
H—9 7 6 3  
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## ON THE AIR

## TO-NIGHT

CRCV, VICTORIA  
(1,400 Kilocycles)

5.30-Birthdays 7.30-After Sundown  
5.30-News 8.15-Woodwind Duo  
5.45-Grand Hour 9.15-Three Guitars  
5.50-Anything Goes 9.45-World Flashes  
6.00-Broadcast 10.00-Happy Landings  
7.15-Capt. Harbord

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5.00-Santa Claus 8.30-Dr. Telford  
5.30-Night Club 8.45-World Flashes  
5.45-World Man 9.15-Three Guitars  
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# Americans and Detroit Score Impressive Hockey Victories



# Winnipegs Confident On Eve of Canadian Grid Battle

## Figure Varied Offensive Will Beat Hamilton

### Victoria City To Oppose Islanders

The Victoria City soccer eleven will journey to James Island Sunday where they are billed to oppose the Island eleven in an exhibition match. Players are asked to meet at 848 North Park Street at 11.30 o'clock for transportation. Mark Woolcock will be in charge of the squad.

The following players are requested to meet at the above address—Bowe, Anderson, Moody, C. Robbins, Alexander, Jones, Colman, Coutts, Davidson, Hiss, Sage, Tregalla and Clarkson.

### PLAY BADMINTON FINALS TO-NIGHT

(Continued from Page 13)

defeated Heywood and D. Bleasdale, minus 10, 9-15, 15-14, 15-7.

#### WOMEN'S HANDICAP DOUBLES Semi-Finals

Mrs. Mangin and Miss M. French, plus 3, defeated Misses M. Hughes and K. Harris, minus 4, 15-2, 13-15, 15-8. Misses D. Swayne and K. Hall, minus 5, defeated Miss P. MacDonald and M. Phillips, minus 8, 45-5, 15-6.

#### TO-NIGHT'S DRAW

##### MEN'S OPEN SINGLES Final

7.30—E. T. Simmonds (Willows) vs. G. Lane (Victoria).

##### WOMEN'S OPEN SINGLES Final

7.30—Miss D. Swayne (Victoria Garrison) vs. Miss Joyce Thomson (Brentwood).

##### MEN'S OPEN DOUBLES Final

8.00—W. E. Reg Corfield and E. T. Simmonds (Willows) vs. G. Lane and F. Tyrell (Victoria).

##### WOMEN'S OPEN DOUBLES

8.00—Misses P. Oates and D. Swayne (Victoria Garrison) vs. Misses G. McCall and D. Morley (Willows).

##### MIXED OPEN DOUBLES

8.30—Miss E. Saunders and G. Lane (Victoria) vs. Miss J. Thomson and D. Hinks (Brentwood).

##### MEN'S HANDICAP DOUBLES

8.30—D. Waddell and R. Knott (Victoria) vs. V. Smith and R. Hoedley (Y.M.C.A.).

##### WOMEN'S HANDICAP DOUBLES

9.00—Mrs. Mangin and Miss M. French (Willows) vs. Misses D. Swayne and K. Hall (Victoria Garrison).

##### MIXED HANDICAP DOUBLES

9.00—Miss Donaldson and D. Bleasdale (Victoria) vs. Miss M. Phillips and J. P. Phillips (Willows).

##### JUNIORS Boys' Singles

7.45—H. Ford (Willows) vs. M. Beedham (Willows).

##### Girls' Singles

8.15—G. Waddell (Victoria College) vs. R. Watson (Willows).

##### JUNIORS Boys' Singles

H. Ford defeated J. MacDonald, 15-15, 15-3.

H. MacDonald defeated S. Laver, 15-6, 15-2.

M. Beedham defeated T. Branson, 15-12, 15-4.

R. Lane defeated N. Carr, 18-17, 12-15, 15-14.

##### Semi-Finals

H. Ford defeated H. MacDonald, 15-41, 15-3.

M. Beedham defeated R. Lane, 16-6, 15-6.

##### Girls' Singles

J. Waddell defeated E. McCall, 11-2, 11-0.

##### Semi-Finals

J. Waddell defeated J. Metcalfe, 11-5, 14-11.

R. Watson defeated J. Savage, 11-3, 11-1.

#### STANDINGS

##### N. E. L. Canadian Division

W. L. D. F. A. P.

Toronto ..... 5 3 1 22 24 11

Maroon ..... 5 3 0 15 12 10

Canadians ..... 3 3 1 18 27 7

N.Y. Americans ..... 3 0 1 14 21 7

##### American Division

W. L. D. F. A. P.

Chicago ..... 6 2 1 18 12 12

N.Y. Rangers ..... 4 4 2 11 14 10

Detroit ..... 2 4 2 10 11 8

Boston ..... 2 6 0 7 11 4

##### NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

W. L. D. F. A. P.

Portland ..... 5 1 2 12 12 12

Vancouver ..... 5 1 2 12 12 12

Calgary ..... 3 3 1 12 12 12

Seattle ..... 2 5 1 12 12 12

Edmonton ..... 2 6 2 18 27 4

## BIG SEVEN OF MAJOR HOCKEY

Buddy Northcott, hard-checking Montreal Maroons left winger, entered the charmed big seven in the National Hockey League scoring race yesterday evening, scoring his team's only goal as they bowed to the New York Americans 2 to 1.

Standings follow: G. A. P. Thompson, Chicago ..... 6 5 12 C. Conacher, Toronto ..... 6 5 11 R. Romnes, Chicago ..... 4 6 10 H. Jackson, Toronto ..... 5 4 9 M. Paden, Chicago ..... 2 7 9 M. Met, Toronto ..... 0 8 8 Northcott, Montreal ..... 4 4 8

## JACK RUSSELL WINNER AGAIN

### Illinois Grappler Retains Undeclared Record in Vancouver Ring

Vancouver, Dec. 6.—Jack Russell, Evanston, Illinois, grappler, stood still undefeated on a Vancouver mat to-day after taking a straight two-fall victory from Dave Johnson of Minneapolis in one half of a doubleheader main event yesterday evening. The falls were in the third and fourth.

Russell weighed 210 pounds and Johnson 206. Brother Jonathan, 225, Salt Lake City, came out on top in his tussle with Abe Coleman, 230, New York. In the other half of the doubleheader, The Mormor took the first fall with a body slam in the first session but fell to the mat in the fourth, a victim of Coleman's vicious drop kicks. He came back fast in the fifth, however, to flatten Coleman for the deciding fall with a reverse airplane spin.

A special event saw Rob Kruse, 195, Portland, defeat Babe Smallinski, 202, Portland, after the latter had taken a one-fall advantage in the third. Kruse knotted the count with a fall in the fourth round with a body slam that had such an effect on Smallinski that he was unable to continue further.

Gene Labella, 160, Montreal, took two straight falls from Ernie Arthur Trail, B.C., in a preliminary.

## Bowling Scores

### OLYMPIC ALLEYS

SENIOR FIFTEEN LEAGUE Mitchell & Duncan—J. Butler 277, J. Galloway 283, D. Jones 372, G. Davies 580, B. Marshall 707, E. Conway 366. Total 3,045.

Hudson's Bay—Stevens 582, Mitchell 786, Ward 514, Thurston 521, Glover 713. Total 3,086.

Hudson's Bay won three.

Sherriff's Cafe—C. Steele 625, P. Sherriff 332, H. Full 587, H. Stuart 506, H. Short 517. Total 2,531.

Trojans—L. O'Neill 633, H. Moulton 677, F. Young 582, R. Mathews 555, Harness 737. Total 3,205.

Trojans won three.

Pacific Meat Co.—J. Howell 694, J. Richardson 485, A. Perry 567, G. Oard 636, H. Paulding 622. Total 3,045.

Standard Steam Laundry—C. R. Savage 590, H. E. Savage 593, P. Moran 671, A. C. Savage 671, W. Plater 672. Total 3,227.

Standard Steam Laundry won three.

### FINANCIAL FIFTEEN LEAGUE

Great-West-Bank of Toronto—Hudson 480, Jackson 444, Marling 294, Walters 546, Yolland 627, handicap 283. Total 2,669.

L.C.B.—E. Freeman 671, E. Rayburn 628, G. Patterson 629, J. Leach 715, C. Price 454, handicap 268. Total 2,782.

L.C.B. won two.

Royal Bank No. 1—C. Croft 466, Gray 385, Green 344, McAlister 411, Wilson 428, low score 112, handicap 217. Total 2,534.

Nova Scotia-Dominion—H. Harnish 490, Dunn 349, John 491, Low 497, Harnish 689, handicap 281. Total 2,723.

Nova Scotia-Dominion won two.

Commerce-Humphries 356, Nizam 608, Verley 614, Coombe 565, Bird 428, Bond 407, handicap 179. Total 2,745.

Royal Bank No. 2—E. Price 601, E. Barker 516, A. Swait 585, G. Stewart 546, D. MacMillan 548, handicap 255. Total 2,532.

Royal Bank No. 2 won three.

Oldham-Brown-Pemberton-L. Willoughby 581, P. Bond 387, M. Tomlin 473, H. M. Rider 589, low score 112, J. Barnes 389, handicap 247. Total 2,623.

Imperial Bank—V. D. Young 680, N. G. Florence 497, W. P. Quinworth 567, C. H. Phipps 477, J. Noble 725, handicap 150. Total 2,615.

Imperial Bank won two.

### NAPCO FIFTEEN LEAGUE

Rapallo—Miss J. Blair 346, A. Blair 281, H. McIntyre 445, E. Reid 408, A. Beggs 512. Total 2,121.

### Sunderland To Meet Bolton

English Football Leaders Expected to Win Tomorrow; Villa Gets Massie

London, Dec. 6.—Directors of Aston Villa, one of England's most colorful soccer teams, do not believe in half measures. Not content with securing the services of

four star players in the last month, one of them of international calibre, it was understood yesterday they had completed negotiations for the transfer of Alex Massie, Heart of Midlothian and Scotland right halfback, at a cost of \$30,000.

Bought by half a dozen English clubs, Massie is considered the finest player in his position in Scotland. He has been a tower of strength to his country in international clashes. The Villa outlay in transfer fees in the last few weeks is about \$120,000.

Massie will likely be included in the side that meets Manchester City at Munc Road this week.

Bolton Wanderers have shown great

improvement in recent games, but they are unlikely to stop Sunderland, league leader, at Roker Park.

### SECOND DIVISION

Setting the pace again in the second division, Tottenham Hotspurs are retaining Edrich, the Marylebone cricketer, on the left wing. Edrich replaced Willie Evans, Welsh international winger, last Saturday and turned in a fine game. The Spurs are away to Notts Forest, while their rivals for leadership, Leicester City, is at home to the last-place Hull City squad.

Reading will probably widen its margin at the top of the southern section, third division, at the expense of Brighton, and in the northern section

Hochdale should prove an easy mark for Tranmere Rovers.

Glasgow, Dec. 6.—Failure of Celtic to take more than a point from Partick Thistle last Saturday, although playing at home, again turns the spotlight on the famous Parkhead team in this week's Scottish football programme.

Now two points behind the leading Aberdeen club, the Celts are scheduled to meet Third Lanark at Cathkin Park, and a record crowd is expected for the tussle between the two Glasgow teams.

The pace-setting Dons go to Clyde. Rangers will endeavor to further improve their position at Perth, where they play St. Johnstone.



That pocketbook of yours is going to be of increasing importance as Christmas approaches . . . and we thought we'd take rather a lot of space in this newspaper to remind you how you can treat the pocketbook kindly and yet make Christmas worthwhile for the people you like. You can buy, we want to remind you, really fine things to wear at decidedly moderate prices at Wilson's. We go in for QUALITY in a really big way and we've managed . . . with a quite unusually large store and a great big stock and a steady turnover . . . to mark our prices moderately ALWAYS. This is of importance to your pocketbook, don't you think? Drop in and see how decidedly easy it is to choose definitely worthwhile things for man, lady or boy.

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BY HITLER

H. Brown, British Journalist  
Who Incurred German Dic-  
tator's Anger, Here

Harrison Brown, British Journalist, who found Germany an uncomfortable place when Adolf Hitler took exception to his articles to the London press following the Nazi "massacre" early in the German dictator's regime, is a visitor to Victoria to-day.

Questioned on the point, the journalist said he had left Berlin of his own accord.

Mr. Brown has been speaking on the European situation before Canadian Clubs on his way across Canada and came on here from Vancouver, where he spoke on Monday.

He has, for several years past, made a close study of central European affairs.

"Mussolini is bluffing," said Mr. Brown when his opinion was sought in an interview as to the Italian dictator's next move in the event of the enforcement of the oil sanctions by the League.

There was nothing to indicate, at the moment, that the sanctions against Italy would be enforced to the limit, he observed.

He thought that the United States, not being a member of the League of Nations, had gone as far as she could in limiting the shipment of war supplies, particularly in view of the fact that she controlled Anglo-Persian oil. He thought the States, in this respect, had been subjected to unjust criticism.

**BIG JOB ON HAND**  
"I have found a growing belief in Canada that Mussolini has a walk-over in Ethiopia. That certainly is not the opinion common in Europe," said Mr. Brown.

Italy has a much bigger job on her hands than she anticipated, he said. "Ethiopia cannot be conquered merely by bombing Addis Ababa. The Ethiopians are natural guerrilla fighters who do not require long lines of communications to assure their food and munition supplies. They can hold out indefinitely in the mountains, which are natural fortresses. The climatic element has also to be taken into consideration. If Italy is forced to carry on a lengthy campaign, disease will prove a strong ally of the Ethiopians."

The strong point of Italian propaganda, said the journalist, was the continued existence of slavery in Ethiopia. What slavery existed in Ethiopia to-day, said Mr. Brown, was confined to certain border tribes. It was uncertain whether these tribes would go over to the Italians or fight for both sides.

The immediate peace of Europe is not threatened by Mussolini's bogey, Mr. Brown maintains.

"The most important fact in the present situation is not so much the fate of Ethiopia," he said, "but that a prominent member of the League (Mussolini) who signed the post-war commitments has so far slipped out of line to break those commitments and now confronts the world with a threat to the new international order. The world is faced by the question—whether collective security for the general good of the world is to be made to work, or whether we are to return to pre-war anarchy."

Mr. Brown is scathing in his criticism of Hitler. Fascism, he says, means war. Dictatorships tended to make things static, while nature intends things to change. As a result, he asserts, there is a pent-up of emotions until the explosion comes and war is the sequence.

Germany, under Nazi rule, has reverted to the middle ages, he says. To reason there, is treason. As an outlet to Nazi emotionalism, he thought a whipping boy must be found, and that whipping boy was the Jew. Hitler, Mr. Brown contends, has no platform personality. He is the type who gathers up all the cumulative emotion of his audience, and returns it to them until both himself and his hearers are wrought into frenzy. Dr. Joseph Goebbels, the Nazi propagandist leader, the journalist says, is a great orator.

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## NEWS IN BRIEF

The Oak Bay Council yesterday accepted an offer of \$200 from G. A. Potts for a lot on Central Avenue.

Compensation of \$75 for thirteen ewes in lamb killed by marauding dogs, was allowed A. Lock by the Saanich Council yesterday evening.

A meeting of the Saanich Liberal Association will be held in the headquarters, Douglas Street, at 8 o'clock on Monday evening.

A meeting of the First Canadian Pioneers will be held to-night at 8 o'clock in the Army and Navy club-rooms.

R. F. Blandy was appointed returning officer for the Oak Bay municipal elections on January 25, by the municipal council at its meeting yesterday.

Mayor David Leeming and members of the parks board will inspect the newly installed showers at the Athletic Park to-morrow afternoon at 3.15 o'clock.

The Oak Bay Council yesterday granted permission for an interview with a delegation from the Victoria Golf Club to discuss water rates for next year. No date was set for the meeting.

The Saanich Council yesterday evening authorized payment of \$15 to Mrs. C. P. Bessette as compensation for the loss of fourteen turkeys killed by dogs.

The proposed dance of the First Battalion, Canadian Scottish Pipe Band, scheduled at the Armories this week, has been postponed, owing to the winter fair, until December 20.

Charles Gould, charged with being found in a dwelling house with intent to commit theft, was remanded until to-morrow for hearing when he appeared in the City Police Court this morning.

The meeting of Ward Three Liberal Association scheduled to have been held to-night in Liberal headquarters has been postponed until December 20, when matters arising out of the Central Executive meeting will be discussed.

Miss Mary Dingman, international social secretary of the Y.W.C.A. with headquarters in Geneva, Switzerland, will address a meeting of the Ministerial Association in the Y.W.C.A. on Monday morning at 10.30 o'clock. All ministers are invited to be present.

The annual reunion dinner of the Second Canadian Mounted Rifles will be held at the Hotel Gairdner, Vancouver, to-morrow night beginning at 7.30 o'clock. Several local ex-members of the unit are expected to go over to the mainland city for the occasion.

A petition from L. G. Eastman, H. C. Morris and Gordon Hartley for a "no parking" sign at the east end of Central Avenue was granted by the Oak Bay Council yesterday. The ratepayers complained parked cars blocked entrance to their homes.

Many friends of Claude (Slim) Belcher will be sorry to hear of his confinement in the Jubilee Hospital. The former member of the city police force who opened a news stand at 709 Yates Street, was taken suddenly ill yesterday morning and taken to the hospital, where he is resting comfortably.

A complaint of the condition of Hampshire Terrace between Monterey Avenue and Hampshire Road, from Mrs. E. C. Brigen, was received by the Oak Bay Council yesterday and improvements to the lane were authorized. The cost will be approximately \$12.

A quantity of beer and malt liquor was seized by Chief Allan Rankin and a squad of Saanich police when they raided premises on Fetham Road owned by Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Smith. A charge of keeping liquor for sale will be heard at the municipal court session next Thursday.

All members of the Independent Order of Foresters are requested to be in court next Monday evening at election of officers for the ensuing year will take place in the A.O.F. Hall, Cormorant Street, at 8 o'clock. Visiting members are invited.

R. F. Sewell was appointed returning officer for the Saanich municipal elections by the municipal council yesterday evening. His duties will be the same as last year as far as possible and polling stations will be the same as before in various wards.

Following a request from E. A. M. Williams, Foul Bay Road, the Oak Bay Council yesterday approved a suggestion to acquire an easement through the property of the late Robert Fowler for Mr. Williams' sewerage drain which runs through the Fowler property.

On Wednesday evening the congregation of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church celebrated the diamond jubilee of the Presbyterian Church in Canada by a devotional programme from members of the various organizations of the church. Rev. J. M. Niven gave the address, stressing the need of greater zeal and missionary effort to reach the unevangelized.

An interesting and humorous lecture on "Old Ireland" will be given by Dr. A. G. Price, M.D., of Trinity College, Dublin, entitled "People and Places of Interest in Ireland," in St. John's schoolroom. Quada and Mason Streets, on Thursday, at 8 o'clock. Lantern slides will portray the beauties of the country.

Rev. Austin Chawner, missionary from Portuguese East Africa, will show slides of his work in Africa to-night at 7.45 o'clock at the Broad Street Pentecostal Assembly. Mr. Chawner's messages are stirring as he presents the Gospel to the Pagan Tribes of Central Africa," by Rev. E. J. Fudney of the Unevangelized Fields Mission. Wonderful slides of wonderful experiences in Africa.

Lantern Lecture Friday, December 6, at 8, under the auspices of Central Baptist Young People's Society. The Trial and Triumphs of Taking the Gospel to the Pagan Tribes of Central Africa," by Rev. E. J. Fudney of the Unevangelized Fields Mission. Wonderful slides of wonderful experiences in Africa.

Herbert Vye was fined \$25 in the Saanich Police Court yesterday when he was convicted on a charge of permitting his cattle to run at large.

ULTIMATUM  
GIVEN CITY

Victoria Medical Society  
States Plan to Cut Off Ser-  
vice to Indigents

The Victoria Medical Society to-day replied to the City Council's action in shelving consideration of that body's request for a monthly donation of \$1,000, to care for the treatment of city indigent, by presenting an ultimatum stating unless more favorable treatment were accorded the medical society its members would cut off those services on December 15.

The letter explaining the society's stand, appeared over the signature of Dr. R. L. Miller, chairman of the committee on care of indigents for the Victoria Medical Society, as follows:

"Replying to your letter of the 11th instant advising that our letter has been laid on the table, I beg to state that your council seems to have entirely failed to grasp the significance of our representations to you on the question of medical service to indigents."

"We feel that a settlement of this question is long overdue, and deserves your immediate attention."

"Our committee made it quite clear that they looked upon the city as fully responsible for caring for its indigent population."

"We cannot admit that their responsibility is in any way contingent on whether, or to what extent, you receive financial assistance from the provincial government, nor will a committee of our society in any way negotiate with the provincial government with reference to the value of our service to the city or the amount of money we are to receive for such service."

"Repeated representation has been made to your council by the medical society requesting more just treatment only, as at present, to have the matter postponed, no satisfactory reason being given. You have had opportunity in the past to approach the provincial government for assistance, and as we have mentioned before, the outcome of such negotiations does in no way affect the value of our service to you."

**RESENT TREATMENT**  
"We feel that the treatment you are accorded in this matter which is one of extreme importance and is a grave responsibility of the city, is in marked contrast to your methods in handling certain other problems which have a much more problematic value."

"While we are still open to any fair and reasonable counterproposal by your council for a solution of your problem of caring for the sick indigent, we wish to again make it quite clear that the problem is your problem and not ours."

"Because for years we have voluntarily carried this burden for the city, until they have come to look upon it as their right and our duty, we feel that a proper respect for custom and opinion of society, requires that we give due and timely notice before any radical change is made that might affect the comfort or happiness of any individual."

"We will, therefore, state that on and after December 15, 1935, the medical profession of Victoria will refuse to attend to sick indigents of the city, unless it is radical change is made that might affect the comfort or happiness of any individual."

**Overnight Entries For  
Bay Meadows**

First race—Two miles: Big Hills 109, Kilar 102, Digging 100, Annapri 100, Asgo 109, Medius 109, Dawn 109, Mammy's Mile 106.

Second race—Six furlongs: Nicasio 112, Arthur W. 100, Grossmont 118, Deer Fly 115, Home George 100, Neches 115, Dulor's King 95, Bagaduce 110, Miles 110, Paisley 109, Del Georgia 110, State Fair 110, Hour Rap 110, Lou Westwood 107, Bill The Kid 110, Road Builder 107, Uncle Hyde 113, Buddy Calico 110.

Third race—Mile and one-eighth: May Roan 93, Afridi 113, Little Dublin 109, Mopoco 108, El Cheevito 109, Moresure 102, Easter Sun 105, Pence Leg 106, Sabina H. 106, Platurica 108, Dude Rancher 103.

Fourth race—Mile and sixteenth: Centrip 101, Bunny Martin 101, Natalie Alice 101, Mattie Houser 101, Viking Hills 104, Closing Time 104, Lou Machado 104, Draft Sergeant 104.

Fifth race—Six furlongs: Home Loan 100, Jimmy Suro 100, High Tension 107, Kent 106, Dark Winter 114, Linden Tree 106, Faithful Maud 98, Chuyamaca 110, Lady Bowman 109.

Sixth race—Mile and one-eighth: Seaciff 104, Aron 111, Little Doggie 109, Solo's Flight 106, Veloce 101, M. Stephens 109, Marv 109, Cold Water 109, Regardless 114, Bolling Point 107, War Letter 106.

Seventh race—Mile and seventy yards: His Way 106, Electric Gaff 113, Tiny Kitty 103, Lobitos 109, Little Lad 102, Seaford 102, Tall Devil 106, Ancestor 107, Enella 104, Rome Vennie 118, Brilliant Duke 102, Sickle Bill 114, Fair Mele 113, Victor 109.

Eighth race—One mile and one-sixteenth: Black Minnie 99, Canny Scot 112, Hubbling Mate 102, Leone 99, Morpheus 107, West Star 103, Adroned 102, Charlie Chan 109, Changing Ways 102, Luce 108, Tullie 109, Dundreary 97, Proud Hills 109, Doramido 101, Gold Clasp 106, Bill Bang 109, Potyou 107.

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## Obituary

GEORGE COFFEY

Funeral services for George Coffey were held yesterday afternoon in the presence of a large circle of friends. Rev. Dr. W. J. Sippell conducted the service, assisted by Rev. Daniel Walker, during which two hymns, "Peace, Perfect Peace" and "Abide With Me," were sung. The remains were laid at rest in the family plot at Ross Cemetery. The following acted as pallbearers: James Adam, Edward Smith, C. Lewis and J. Stewart.

**HENRIETTA MARCELLA MEYER**  
Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon over the remains of Mrs. Henrietta Marcella Meyer, who passed away in Berkeley, California, on December 1. Canon P. A. F. Chadwick conducted the simple service in the presence of many old friends of the deceased, after which the remains were laid at rest in the family plot in Ross Bay cemetery.

**EDWARD STANLEY**  
Edward Stanley passed away at an early hour this morning at the family residence, 2089 Marston Street, after a lengthy illness.

Mr. Stanley, who was eighty-five years of age, was born in Armagh, Ireland, and came to Canada thirty-three years ago. He was a veteran of the Riel Rebellion.

For many years he resided at Touchwood Hills, Pelly, Yukon, where he was associated with the Department of Indian Affairs. He was a member of Touchwood Lodge No. 51, A.P. and A.M. and the Army and Navy Veterans' Association of this city.

He leaves his widow, at the family residence, Marston Street, two daughters, Mrs. J. Hardinge, 1057 Richmond Avenue, and Mrs. A. Jenkins of Raymond, Sask., and one son Guy at Tessier, Sask.

The remains are resting at the S.J. Curry and Son Funeral Home. Announcement of funeral will be made later.

Bill Erickson Is  
Named Elks' Head

A. W. (Bill) Erickson was elected exalted ruler of Victoria Lodge No. 2 Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks at the annual meeting held yesterday evening in the lodge room, Sproule-Shaw School Building. He succeeds Robert Malcolm.

The complete slate of new officers follows: A. W. Erickson, exalted ruler; A. Paton, loyal knight; J. C. Payne, lecturing knight; J. E. Edwards, treasurer; N. Peel, re-elected secretary; P. A. Raymond, re-elected inner guard; P. A. Fitzsimmons, outer guard; E. Cassidy, trustee; three years, R. T. Loughheed; trustee, two years, A. D. Findlay.

Installation of the new officers will take place on January 16 with the district deputy grand exalted ruler officiating.

No Telephone  
Registrations

Gyro Christmas Hamper  
Fund Appeals For Names to  
Be Turned In Early

The Gyro Christmas Hamper Fund appeals to those who desire hampers at Christmas time, and to others who know of families to whom a Gyro hamper would make the difference between a gray and a gay Christmas, to visit the headquarters at 915 Yates Street as soon as possible to make their registrations.

It is suggested that advantage be taken of the half-day to-morrow for this purpose.

Mrs. R. Felton, of the registration department of the fund, stated this morning that no registrations could be taken over the telephone. Friends of needy families may, however, register the names of those they would like to see helped by going to the headquarters.

There will be tobacco again in this year's hampers along with all the other good things. The Imperial Tobacco Company of Canada has again contributed generously to the hamper campaign, donating 1,600 packs of tobacco suitable for pipe smoking or for rolling into cigarettes.

Directors of the Gyro Club have been visiting the schools of Victoria appealing to the students to support the toy or food-admission show, to be held at the Capitol and Dominion Theatres Saturday, December 14, for the mutual benefit of the Gyro Christmas Hamper Fund and the scouts Toy Workshop. There are also thanking the children for their support of last year's show.

Bob Smith, announcer for the Gyro broadcast, has been accompanying the directors, telling the students about the radio series which will be staged on behalf of the club, starting next Monday, with the microphone mounted in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium.

HAMPER FUND  
FOOD MATINEE

Through the courtesy of the management and staff of the Playhouse Theatre and the newspapers of the city in co-operation with Saanich contributed generously to the hamper programme will be shown at the theatre at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

"Steamboat Round the Bend" starring Will Rogers and a Mickey Mouse and Popeye, the sailor cartoon, will be presented.

Admission will be by canned goods or vegetables suitable for distribution in hampers at Christmas.

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Expected For Saanich  
Day To-day

The attractions of Victoria's Winter Fair, sponsored by the Tourist Trade Development Association, brought 8,190 visitors to the Bay Street Armories Wednesday and yesterday.

To-day and to-morrow an even higher attendance is expected. In addition to the amusements offered by the fair, visitors receive an insight into the extent of Victoria's local industries.

Reeve Alexander Lockley of Esquimalt, in declaring Esquimalt Day at the fair in a ceremony yesterday evening, pointed to the value of the work of the Tourist Trade Development Association, and added that the fair would serve to bring that work into the eyes of the city and the surrounding municipalities.

"I take my hat-off to the Tourist Trade Development Association," he said, "and I hope the day in near when 'Victoria, Esquimalt, Oak Bay and Saanich will unite to further the tourist industry.'"

Reeve Lockley was attended by his daughter, Miss Phyllis Lockley, and by Councilor Albert Head, Councilor David A. Henry and Mrs. Thomas Hadfield, wife of Councilor Hadfield.

**SAANICH DAY TO-DAY**  
To-night at 8 o'clock, Reeve William Crouch will dedicate Saanich Day at the fair. The doors will be open from 2 o'clock onwards this afternoon and to-morrow.

Original entertainment features are being constantly staged for the entertainment of the crowds of visitors and the stage at the east end of the hall is rarely empty. The midway has been doing a thriving business, with Victorians trying their hands at all sorts of games of skill and chance.

**MANY WIN TURKEYS**  
The drawing of ticket numbers for Christmas turkeys is one of the attractions of the Winter Fair.

C. Wednesday evening's winners were: H. Worthington, 1269 Craigflower Road; H. Bond, 1207 Duke Street; Mrs. Hemming, 845 Princess Avenue; Mrs. E. Cargill, 2623 Fifth Street; Miss M. McLennan, 970 Market Street; Mrs. C. T. Bruce, 564 Alpha Street; D. McNeill, 171 Coach Lines; Mrs. Cuthell, 287 Alice Street; Mrs. Brydon, R.M.D. 3, Glenford Avenue; Mrs. W. Buchan, 1377 McNair Street; R. Hughes, 2934 Cedar Hill Road; S. B. McKellar, 760 Manchester Street; H. Jarvis, 3340 Oak Street; A. Cox, 159 South Turner Street; L. Dring, 2417 Cadboro Bay Road; Mrs. Fred Brakes, 1120 Blanshard Street; Mrs. H. P. Eldridge, 1534 Redfern Street; Mrs. M. Waigh, 3478 Lovatt Street; Miss W. Ellis, 150 St. Andrews Street; I. Venables, 1060 Richmond Avenue; Mrs. Matheson, 1507 Pembroke Street; C. C. Camp, 370 Stannard Avenue; A. Major, 3443 West Seventh Avenue; Vancouver; J. Pearce, 833 Darwin Avenue; and R. Edean, 1939 Lullie Street.

Those winning turkeys yesterday were Mrs. A. Hatcher, 2938 Sumas Street; Mrs. W. Williams, 60 Cadillac Avenue; W. McHugh, 179 Olive Street; Mrs. A. Caldwell, 920 Wilmer Street; Mrs. G. Sellers, 3484 Doncaster Street; Mrs. W. H. Omd, 3066 Albany Street; V. Taylor, 2110 Belmont Avenue; Miss Alice G. White, 1627 Earle Street; T. Madden, 1019 Pembroke Street; B. Bassett, 1712 Fairfield Street; B. Pugh, R.R. No. 4, W. L. R. Young; 1138 Oxford Street; J. McMichael, 904 Pandora Avenue; William Aukland, 2276 Thompson Avenue; Mrs. Baxter, 3439 Bethune Avenue; Miss Patricia Walker, 880 Island Road; W. M. Brown, 1465 Carrick Street; Miss K. Smith, 707 Kings Road; Robert B. Ton, R.M.D. No. 3; Mrs. Lowe, 1259 Pandora Avenue; Mrs. H. A. Adams, 3811 Lampson Street; E. L. Richardson, Mount Edwards Apartments; Mrs. L. Hamilton, 1021 Catherine Street; Mrs. W. Earle, 635 Hillside Avenue, and Mrs. Bernice Miller, 367 Irvine Avenue.

Prizes were awarded by Central Creameries Limited to Miss Mary Yearley, 2840 Shelbourne Street; Mrs. Frank Waring, 1918 Hampshire Road, and Mrs. M. Joyce, 1036 Caledonia Avenue.

MOTORCYCLIST IS  
THROWN TO ROAD

Alfred Mather, Brookleigh Road, Kik Lake, suffered hip injuries and abrasions from the right shoulder down the right arm when he was thrown from his motorcycle at Hamster Lakeside while riding along the East Saanich Road yesterday afternoon.

The accident happened about 2.15 o'clock as Mr. Mather was turning the corner and his machine swerved and threw him to the pavement. It was believed to have been caused by his front wheel being out of alignment.

Mr. Mather was taken to the hospital for treatment of his injuries.

BOY SCOUTS  
NEED DOLLS

Although they gladly welcome any toys, the Boy Scouts who have their workshop at 615 Yates Street, make a special appeal for dolls, ones with heads on them being preferred.

The Scouts are doing fine work in repairing old broken down toys for Christmas to be given to needy children but many more are required if their work is to reach all of them. Ten thousand toys were distributed in Victoria last year by the Scouts.

Toys will be called for on receipt of a telephone call to G4332, G3298 or E1475.



1936 RCA

## VICTOR

- With Metal Tubes
- Magic Eye
- Magic Brain

Now at New  
Reduced Prices!

Here's great news for those who wish to give the family the thrill of world-wide radio entertainment. Price reductions now in effect at this store cover the entire range of 1936 RCA Victor Models. Ask us for particulars to-day.

## Fletcher Bros.

(VICTORIA) LTD. 1110 DOUGLAS STREET

## EXCEPTIONAL BARGAINS IN

## WINTER COATS

These are Coats of high-grade quality materials—all trimmed with luxurious fur collars—with lining guaranteed to give two years' wear. In three special groups.

Values to \$15.90 Values to \$22.50 Values to \$29.50  
**\$9.97 \$16.45 \$19.00**

## THE SMARTEST PROCKS YOU HAVE EVER SEEN!

JUST UNPACKED!

## Hostess Frocks Sunday-nite Frocks.

you would be proud to wear! Smart youthful lines in the most up-to-date styles and shades. Informal dance.

**\$7.90 and \$5.90 \$4.90**

Ladies' Beason Cloth Regular 75c

Bathrobes SCARFS Bed Jackets

**\$2.49 49c \$3.95 to \$1.98**

75 Travel Tween Frocks, Regular \$3.45. Come down early to get your size.

Cotton Tweed Frocks, Short sleeves, Sizes 14 to 42, Regular \$1.95. To clear **\$1.26**

Look! Brassiere and Pastic Sets of good quality rayon, Lace trimmed. Special, set **69c**

150 pairs, Silk Crepe and Service-weight Hosiery, Regular 59c pair. At **2 pairs \$1.00**

A real bargain in Crepe de Chine Nightgowns, Lace trimmed, Peach, pink, white. Special **\$1.97**

100 boxes of Ladies' HANDKERCHIEFS, 7 Hagkies in a box. Daintily embroidered corners. Box **29c**

4 boxes **\$1.00**

Staple Attractions

IN THE BARGAIN ANNEX

4-ply Botany Wool, regular 15c. Ball **11c**

Flannellette Sheets with colored borders. Double-bed, size, pair **\$2.19**

Cotton sheets, 72x90 inches. Special **\$1.00**

1,000 yards, 36-inch Curtain Net, On sale, yard **12c**

28-inch White Flannel, etc. yard **12c**

36-inch Floral Scrim, Regular 25c, yard **15c**

80 pairs Ruffled Curtains, Regular 69c pair. On sale, pair **49c**

100 pieces Hand-embroidered Madeira Pillow Slips,



# Emphasizing Our Gift Resources For All

## WITH A LIST OF BIG VALUES FOR SATURDAY



### A Good Woolen Robe Will Wish Her a Merry Christmas Most Warmly

A **FLANNEL ROBE** is one of the indispensables of a lady's wardrobe, so you could not give a more welcome gift. We have them in a selection of colors. All sizes, and every one beautifully tailored and finished.

**PLAIN FLANNEL ROBES**—Small, medium and large sizes, with roll lapels, one breast pocket and two side pockets. All-around belt, and in soft shades of light and dark green, orchid, purple, Copen, blue and black. Trimmed with same material in contrasting color. Each ..... **\$4.50**

**ALL-WOOL BLANKET CLOTH ROBES**—Light and warmth giving, with lapels, pockets and cuffs trimmed with rayon satin and rayon draw cord, each ..... **\$5.75**

**STRIPED TWILL FLANNEL ROBES**—100 per cent pure wool. Small, medium and large sizes in self stripes of orchid, black and red, old rose, blue and white, and two shades of green. Each ..... **\$4.50**

**FIGURED BEACON CLOTH ROBES**—With rayon satin ribbon trimming on lapel and cuffs. Conventional and motif designs. Blended and balanced in a number of beautiful shades. Each ..... **\$3.50**

—Mantles, First Floor



Men's Better-grade

### SHIRTS

Of Broadcloth or Silk

These are tailored-made shirts. A choice of separate collars or collar attached. Patterned or plain shades. Collars fused or starched. All sizes, at **\$2.00 to \$5.75**

Tooke "Bokey" Shirts of superfine broadcloth with collar attached. Will not shrink, fade or stretch. Shades are white, blue, tan, grey or green. All sizes. Each ..... **\$1.55**  
Or 2 Shirts for ..... **\$3.00**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

TWO STRIKING SPENCER VALUES SATURDAY

Overcoats **\$14<sup>95</sup>**

LOW PRICED AT .....

SUITS **\$17<sup>95</sup>**

OF QUALITY AT .....

50 OVERCOATS—Tailored in favorite styles from

Blue and Grey Melton Cloth, Herringbone Tweeds, Pepper and Salt Mixtures, Small Checks and Overchecks.

There Are Bi-swing, Guards, Raglan and Slip-on Models—Sizes 36 to 46.

**SUITS**—In smartest styles, from which it will be easy to select a model for your special type. They are tailored in a masterly manner from Jenner's English serge, in a guaranteed dye; Jenner's plain brown serge. Fine striped worsteds and imported tweeds in various shades and patterns. All sizes, each ..... **\$17.95**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor



### A Special Sale of Women's Sweaters

ENGLISH AND AUSTRIAN PRODUCTIONS

Regular Values to \$12.50, for

**\$3<sup>75</sup>**

**40 WOMEN'S SWEATERS**—Coat and pullover styles. Very smart Novelty Sweaters, some hand knitted, in plain and tweed effects. Regular \$12.50, for ..... **\$3.75**  
**9 ONLY, PULLOVER SWEATERS**—Made with turtle neck and patterned with broad stripe effects. A fine grade production. Regular \$7.50 each, for ..... **\$3.75**  
**42 PULLOVERS AND CARDIGANS**—Well knitted and in attractive weaves and smart tweed effects. Regular \$6.75 each, for ..... **\$3.75**  
**PULLOVERS**—With short or long sleeves. Smart styles, finished with novelty scarfs and ties. Regular values \$4.50 each, for ..... **\$3.75**

—Sweaters, First Floor



### MEN'S PYJAMAS

Of English Broadcloth

A Wide Choice at \$3.95 to \$7.50

These Pyjamas are of the finest-grade broadcloth, fashioned with lapel collars and tailor made. Various stripes and plain shades.

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

### MEN'S WOOL SOCKS

A Wide Range at, Pair, \$1.00 to \$2.50

What better gift could you give a man, when you want quality at a small cost. The Socks at the above prices are all imported—and of the best grade. Shown in two-tone shades and fancy patterns. All sizes.

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor



### GIVE A MAN A WOOL SWEATER

They Are Always Useful, Always Appreciated See These!

Men's Sweater Coats, all wool, and in a fine rib knit, "V" neck style and made smarter with two pockets. Shown in heather shades; all sizes. Particularly good value at **\$2.25 to \$5.95**  
Men's Sweaters—very attractive silk and wool texture. Coat style with two or four pockets. Various two-tone shades; all sizes. Each, **\$5.50 to \$6.95**

All Sleeveless Vests, Scotch knit, and in fancy patterns. A range of attractive colorings. Priced at **\$1.95 to \$3.50**  
Men's Scotch Knit Pullovers and Sweater Coats, of pure wool, natural shades or fancy patterns. Perfect-fitting garments and all sizes. Priced from **\$4.95 to \$7.50**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor



### THE MILLINERY DEPT.

Offers a Surprising Number of Excellent Gift Suggestions

Something new! Fabricated Fur Sets in grey, brown or black. Cap, scarf and muff, set ..... **\$2.95**  
Cap and scarf, set ..... **\$1.95**  
Give a Flower for Christmas! Beautiful Flowers that will not wither—gardenias, carnations, chrysanthemums, roses, sweet peas, pansies, violets, etc. Gorgeous colorings, in silk, linen and velvet. In a gift box. Prices from **25¢ to \$4.50**  
Smart Sets in a gay-colored gift box! Scotch Caps, rolled brims or droop brims, complete with Scarf. A variety of plaids and checks in many bright shades. Prices from **\$1.50 to \$2.49**

—Millinery, First Floor

### 300 Pairs of "CREPE" CHIFFON SILK HOSE

Regular \$1.00, Per Pair

Full-fashioned Hose of first-quality crepe chiffon. A good range of fashionable shades from which to select. Sizes 8½ to 10½. Per pair ..... **79¢**

### 300 Pairs of CHIFFON SILK HOSE

Regular 85¢, Per Pair

First-quality sheer chiffon to "Flex" top. In fashionable shades. Sizes 8½ to 10½. Per pair ..... **69¢**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

### GIFT BRASSIERES AT \$1.00

Dainty styles in pink satin and lace; uplift effect. Hooked in back ..... **\$1.00**  
Slip-on Brassieres of double net and "Lastex," with elastic shoulder straps. Reach or white ..... **\$1.00**

—Corsets, First Floor

### Children's Day In the Music Department

Winnie the Pooh Records; 3 Records in an attractive album. Price ..... **\$1.25**

Tiny Tots Records; 4 Records in a dainty box. Price, at ..... **95¢**

Children's Nursery Records. Price, each ..... **75¢**

Kindergarten Song Books. Price, each ..... **25¢**

Children's Song Folio, containing over 200 songs. Price ..... **\$1.25**

—Music Dept., Lower Main Floor

### SHIRLEY ANN Home Made Candies

Saturday Specials

1-lb. box, assorted, regular 50¢, for ..... **35¢**  
Peanut Crisp, regular 30¢, special ..... **25¢**  
See our display of fancy boxes, priced up from, each ..... **30¢**

—Lower Main Floor, Douglas Street Entrance

**BOXES OF STATIONERY**  
In a Large Variety of Styles  
All boxes contain a good grade of paper and envelopes. Per box ..... **50¢**  
—Stationery, Lower Main Floor



### SEASON'S GREETINGS

12 Cards with envelopes to match. Per pkt. .... **50¢**

—Stationery, Lower Main Floor

### DAINTY LITTLE MENU HOLDERS

Which make an unusual Christmas gift — each, 15¢, 25¢, 30¢ and ..... **35¢**

—Gift Section, Lower Main Floor

### Coal, Wood or Gas RANGES

Sold On Our Easy Payment Plan—From \$5.00 Down and \$4.00 Monthly

A full display of Fawcett All-steel Ranges in full enamel and nickel finish, with three-ply steel asbestos-lined body, polished top, reinforced baking oven and full nickel base on legs.

Prices Range From **\$47.75 to \$125.00**

**CIRCULATING HEATERS**—shown in plain or enamel finish. Also Open-fire Franklins and Air-tight Heaters. Priced from **\$2.35 to \$55.55**  
**AETNA OIL BURNERS**—one of the most economical Oil Burners on the market. Fully installed in your kitchen range for ..... **\$47.50**

—Stoves, Lower Main Floor

### GIFT LINES THAT ARE HOME BRIGHTENERS

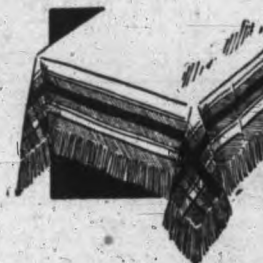
Brass Jardinières in several sizes. Priced at **\$1.25 to \$2.95**  
Brass Bowls, neat design, each, **69¢**, and up to ..... **\$1.89**  
Brass Jewel Boxes, priced at **25¢**, and up to ..... **\$1.49**  
Brass Ash Trays, each a real snap at **18¢**  
Smokers' Stands in several colors, priced, each ..... **\$1.45**

Novelty Trays with nickel-plated frames and glass bottoms, each, **\$1.65 to \$2.50**  
Fancy Trays with wooden frames and glass bottoms, each, **\$1.25 to \$2.35**  
Decorated Lacquer Trays, very special, at **70¢ to \$1.35**  
Fancy Framed Mirrors, very attractive, at **\$1.15 and \$1.29**

—Hardware, Arcade Bldg.

### Gift Suggestions

From the Staples Dept.



Luncheon Sets in the popular new plaid designs, with fringed ends. Size 52x52-inch cloth and six napkins. Per set ..... **\$3.10**

Oyster Linen Luncheon or Bridge Sets with colored embroidery. Size 36x36-inch cloth and four napkins. Per set, **\$1.00, \$1.39 and \$1.59**

Fancy Towel Sets, cellophane wrapped or in gift boxes. Per set, **50¢, 59¢, 69¢ and 79¢**

Rayon Silk Bedspreads in neat floral and conventional designs. All colors represented. Size 80x100 inches. Each ..... **\$2.98**

White Pure Wool Blankets of a soft fleecy quality. Dainty pink or blue borders. Double-bed size, 72x84 inches. A pair ..... **\$7.95**

All-wool Bed Throws in a full range of colors. Finished with whipped ends. Each ..... **\$2.98**

Indian Blankets of the ever-popular style, for car seat covers. Bound with contrasting sateen. Each ..... **\$2.50**

Mixed Down and Feather-filled Comforters in serviceable floral sateen covers, with plain-sateen panels. A full choice of colorings. Each ..... **\$7.95**

—Staples, Main Floor

### CUSHION FORMS

Values to 65¢, for ..... **49¢**  
Values to \$1.00, for ..... **59¢**

Cushion Forms, filled with No. 1 kapok, including 18-inch square forms, oblong 16x20 inches, round 20 inches, and round 16 inches with 2-inch box. Regular 65¢, for **49¢**

Size 20 inches square, oblong 18x24 inches, round, 24-inch diameter, and round 18-inch diameter, with 3-inch box. Values to \$1.00, for **59¢**

—Draperies, Second Floor

**DAVID SPENCER LIMITED**



# Saturday Dec. 7

## CHILDREN'S DAY

Featuring a Great Variety of Gift Goods

### Children's Shoes

The Gift of Gifts—for the "Fleet-of-foot!"

FIRST FLOOR DEPARTMENT

"Little Red Schoolhouse" Oxfords of good-wearing calfskin with shark-leather toe caps that will not scuff! Black or brown. Sizes 11 to 2, pair, **\$2.95**; sizes 8 to 10½, pair, **\$2.45**.  
 "Pied Piper" Strap Shoes of black patent leather. Very dressy. Sizes 11 to 2, pair, **\$2.95**; sizes 8 to 10½, pair, **\$2.25**.  
 "Mickey Mouse" Health Shoes. Brown or Black Calf Oxfords and Brown Calf and Patent Straps. Sizes 11 to 2½, **\$3.00**; sizes 8 to 10½, pair, **\$2.50**; sizes 5 to 7½, per pair, **\$2.00**.

Children's House Slippers—Blue, Red or Black Kid Strap Slippers, sizes 11 to 2, per pair, **\$1.25**; Blue or Red Kid Pump Slippers with pompoms, sizes 8 to 10½, **\$1.00**.

### BARGAIN HIGHWAY

Children's Patent Leather Strap Shoes with leather soles and cushion insoles, sizes 5 to 7½, pair, **95¢**.

Girls' Patent Leather Party Shoes, strap style with leather soles. Sizes 8 to 2, per pair, **\$1.39**.

Girls' strong Leather Oxfords with stout leather soles. Sizes 8 to 2, pair, **\$1.39**.

Girls' Shawl-tongue Oxfords in black and tan calf. Sizes 11 to 2, pair, **\$1.95**.

Children's House-Slippers in patent, red or blue kid. Strap styles, sizes 5 to 2, per pair, **59¢**.

Children's Felt Strap Slippers with cushion leather soles. Red or blue, with picture designs. Sizes 5 to 2, pair, **49¢**.  
 Children's Rubber Knee Boots, sizes 11 to 2, pair, **\$1.85**; sizes 6 to 10, per pair, **\$1.65**.  
 Boys' light-weight dressy Boots in fine black calf with leather soles. In two widths. Sizes 8 to 3, pair, **\$1.89**.  
 Boys' Heavy Leather School Boots, with Paneo soles, Sizes 11 to 5½, pair, **\$1.89**.  
 Boys' Fine Goodyear Welted Oxfords in black calf with double oak-tanned soles. Smart lasts. Sizes 1 to 5½, pair, **\$3.45**.  
 —First Floor and Bargain Highway



### DAINTY FROCKS FOR CHILDREN

Several Excellent Values

Dainty Party Frocks made in very pretty styles from crepe silk and taffeta. They have frills, puff sleeves, pleated or plain all-around sash. Full skirts and shown in shades of yellow, turquoise, old rose, green and pink. For girls 2 to 6 years. Each, **\$2.95**.

Silk Crepes for 8 to 14 years. Each, **\$3.95**.  
 Taffeta Silks for 8 to 14 years. Each, **\$5.95**.

Girls' Dresses of silk crepe, wool crepe, serge or jersey cloth. These have long or puff sleeves and pleats. Tailored or dressy styles. For 8 to 14 years, **\$2.95**.

Small Girls' Jersey Cloth Dresses, with panties to match. Made full from plain or smocked yoke, have dainty collars and shown in tailored or dressy styles. Sizes for 2 to 6 years, **\$2.95**.  
 —Children's Wear, First Floor

### Children's Handbags

AND GIFT SETS—Excellent Christmas Ideas!

HANDBAGS—in smart and snappy styles for children. Pleasing designs, with back strap or top strap handles—and in a choice of colors. Each, **49¢**.

CHILDREN'S ZIPPER BAGS of suede, with double strap handles. Will carry lunch. Each, **59¢**.  
 CHILDREN'S GIFT SETS—in fancy gift boxes. Comb and Peach, Comb and Necklet, Manicure Sets with Comb, and Necklet and Bracelet. Set, **20¢ to 95¢**.  
 —Main Floor

### CHILDREN'S GLOVES

AN IDEAL GIFT

Cosy Wool Gloves, seamless knit and 100% wool. With plain or fancy striped cuffs. Pair, **39¢** and **49¢**.

Fleece-lined Chamoisette Gloves that will keep small hands warm and comfortable. A pair, **69¢**.

Children's Leatherette Gloves of fine quality suede fabric. In pull-on styles—"just like Mother's." A pair, **59¢**.

Fleece-lined Capskin Gloves with one-dome-clasp. Warm and durable. Pair, **\$1.00**.  
 —Gloves, Main Floor

### Roast Turkey Luncheon

Saturday, 11.30 to 2.30

40c

—Dining-room, Third Floor



Celebrating Children's Day—With a Special Sale of

### Tiny Tots' Togs

A special purchase of a three-piece set for the tiny tot. Blanket Cloth Coat, with leggings to match and poke bonnet. In blue or pink. Special, **\$5.95**.

Two-piece Sets, consisting of Blanket Cloth Coat and Helmet to match. In blue or pink. The set, **\$3.95**.  
 "Oliver Twist" Suits for the little fellow. Really smart, with velvet pants and blouse of the finest quality broadcloth. Suit, **\$1.95**.  
 —Babywear, First Floor

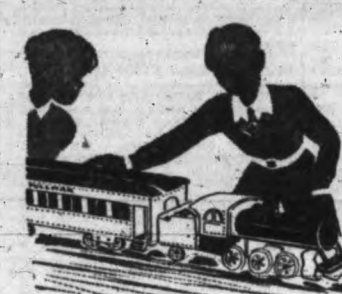
**DAVID SPENCER LIMITED**

### TOYLAND

Will Be the Centre of Interest Saturday

And What a Vast Selection of Interesting Things the Kiddies Will Have to Inspect—Below Are Just a Few

Hundreds of Dolls—all kinds, dressed and undressed. Your own special favorite or Rummor Dolls, priced from **25¢** to **\$5.00**.  
 Empire Express, Mechanical Trains—three cars, tender and locomotive, with electric headlight, **\$1.25**.  
 Batteries, **15¢**.



Nie Projector, Moving Picture Machine—this does show good pictures. Price, each, **\$1.75**.  
 Films, extra, **15¢**.  
 Table Tennis special—two heavy ply bats, good strong clamps, net and three balls, all for **95¢**.  
 Mechanical Toys of every description—Motor Cars, Fire Engines, Motocycles, Trucks, Steam Rollers, Wagons, etc., **15¢** to **50¢**.  
 —Toyland, Lower Main Floor



### GIRLS' SKIRTS

For 8 to 14 Years, **\$1.95**

Smart little Skirts with band at waist, inverted pleats and with or without pockets. Neatly finished and in shades of blue, pink, green and old rose.

—Children's Wear, First Floor

### Children's Pullover Leggings

For 2 to 6 Years, **\$1.50**

A pair of these Leggings will make a fine gift for a child. They have elastic at waist, are zipper or button fastened, and shades are brown or white.

—Children's Wear, First Floor

### An Endless Selection of Gifts for Boys in the BOYS' STORE

Gifts That Give Pleasure and Comfort



Juvenile Overcoats, smartly made from fancy tweeds and blue chin-chillas. Sizes for 3 to 8 years. Each, **\$4.95**.

Boys' Chinchilla Overcoats, styled just like Dad's. Sizes 26 to 28, **\$7.95**. Sizes 29 to 32, **\$9.95**.

Leather Chaps and Vest, Mackinaw Windbreakers, Brushed Wool Sweaters, Long Pants and Knitted Suits, a garment, **\$2.95**.

Boys' Leather Gauntlet Gloves, lined and with wide cuffs. Black or brown. Sizes 5 to 8. A pair, **50¢**.

Boxed Ties in four-in-hand and ready-made "Jackie" styles, and Wide Woven Belts in brown shade. Special, each, **25¢**.

Fancy Boxed Ties in fancy stripes and tartans, Fancy Tie Sets and Boxed Woolen Gloves. Great values at, **50¢**.

Star Gauntlet Gloves, lined; Fancy Ties in boxes; Broadcloth Waists and Shirts; Sweater Shirts, and Tweed Caps. A big gift list. Each, **75¢**.

Leather Helmets, Broadcloth Shirts and One or Two-piece Style Flannelette Pyjamas. Your choice, at, **95¢**.

Tweed Caps, Sweat Shirts, Wool Sweaters and Jerseys, Lined Kid Gloves and Windbreakers. Another interesting list. Your choice, at, **\$1.00**.

Fancy Broadcloth Shirts, Heavy Flannelette Pyjamas, Pure Wool Jerseys and Sweaters. Your choice, at, **\$1.50**.

Pure Wool Sweaters, Long Pants of Irish serge and tweed, Cowboy Chaps and Vests of suede. An interesting list, at, **\$1.95**.

### Two Good Specials in Children's Hosiery

Half Socks of wool and silk and wool, with fancy and plain tops. In a wide range of shades and white. Sizes 4 to 8½. Pair, **39¢** and **49¢**.

and Mercury Golf Hosiery of pure wool, in ribbed and plain flat-knit styles. Neat fitting, with fancy turn-down cuffs. In a good assortment of shades. Sizes 6 to 10. A pair, **49¢**.  
 —Hosiery, Main Floor



### Girls' Beacon Cloth KIMONOS

Sizes for the Ages of 2 to 6 Years. Each, **\$1.50**.

Sizes for the Ages of 8 to 14 Years, **\$2.49**.

These are cosy Kimonos in plain colors or pretty patterns. Shades of blue, pink, green and old rose. They have shawl collar, pockets, trimmed with silk cord or satin cord and have silk cord girdle.

—Children's Wear, First Floor







## Make Us An Offer!

**OWNER LEAVING VICTORIA**  
Wishes to sell his five-room bungalow, located on the Fairfield street, with magnificent view over city, sea and mountains; basement, furnace, garage; a nice lawn, fruit trees, etc.; clear title; low taxes; full price asked.  
**\$1,350—CASH**  
Reasonable Offers Invited on an All Cash or Term Basis  
For Inspection, See Ray's Care of L. M. ROSEY & CO., LTD., 110 Union Bldg., 612 View St. G 6941

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**HIGH LOCATION**  
Over one acre first-class land and four-room cottage with electric light, city water, 3-piece bathroom, garage, etc. 3 1/2-mile circle and surrounded by lovely homes. Additional land adjoining can be purchased if needed.  
**P. R. Brown and Sons Ltd.**  
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## Opposite Goodacre Lake

Reasonable offers invited on an All Cash or Term Basis  
Size of lot 60x121  
Sacrificed at  
**\$300.00**  
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628 BROUGHTON STREET

## GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT

(Section 27)  
**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR CONSENT TO TRANSFER OF BEER LICENSE**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, on the 27th day of December next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for consent to transfer the whole interest of George Herbert Patton in Beer License No. 3087, issued in respect of premises being part of a building known as HALF-WAY HOUSE, situated at the Equilmait Road, Municipality of Equilmait, upon the lands described as part of Lots 18 and 19, Block 2, Section 1, Map 18, Equilmait District, Victoria Land Registration District, in the Province of British Columbia, to Frances Anthony Allan, of Victoria, B.C., the transferee.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 26th day of November, 1935.  
**FRANCES ANTHONY ALLAN, ERB.**  
Applicant and Transferee.

## GOVERNMENT LIQUOR ACT

(Section 27)  
**NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR A BEER LICENSE**

Notice is hereby given that, on the 2nd day of January, 1936, next, the undersigned intends to apply to the Liquor Control Board for a license in respect of premises being part of a building known as Seaside Farm Hotel, situated on West Coast Road, on Parcel "A," Part of Section 2, Renfrew District, in the Province of British Columbia, for the sale of beer by the glass or otherwise, to be consumed on the premises or elsewhere.  
DATED this 21st day of November, 1935.  
**SEASIDE FARM HOTEL LIMITED**  
Applicant

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## ORPHANS' HOME ANNUAL MEETING

The thirty-third Annual Meeting of the Subscribers to the B.C. Protestant Orphans' Home will be held on Tuesday, Dec. 10, 1935, at 4:30 p.m., at the City Hall, for the purpose of considering annual reports, the election of a Board of Management, and transacting any other business in the interests of the society. A Managers' Meeting will follow the Annual Meeting.

**ARTHUR LEE, President.**  
**R. HAYWARD, Secretary.**  
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## OUT OUR WAY

YOU KEEP OUT OF THIS! WE DON'T WANT TO LIE ABOUT IT—WE INTEND TO USE A LITTLE DIPLOMACY, IS ALL—AND YOU KEEP QUIET!

YES, YOU KEEP YOUR OPINIONS TO YOURSELF—A CASE LIKE THIS CALLS FOR DIPLOMACY, AND YOU HAVEN'T A BIT!

WELL, BUT THIS IS GONNA HURT ME TERRIBLE—KEEPIN' QUIET WHEN I KNOW YOU WAS WAY OFF YOUR SIDE! I'LL HURT ME LIKE IT DOES YOU, WHEN YOU KETCH ME IN A LIE—A DIPLOMACY!

HEROES ARE MADE—NOT BORN

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## WILL PRESENT STUDENT PLAY

Little Theatre Association Announces "The Wind and the Rain" Next Offering

Three important announcements featured the December meeting of the Victoria Little Theatre Association, held in the club rooms recently. The first was a report that the association had chosen for its next public performance, Merton Hodge's clever play of student life in a medical college, "The Wind and the Rain."

It was announced the play chosen as the association's entry in the Dominion Drama Festival to be held next month, will be the first act of Sutton Vane's play, "Outward Bound." D. J. MacDonald will direct the play try-outs, which will take place at the association rooms on Burdett Avenue on Tuesday, December 10, at 8 o'clock.

As the English adjudicator is coming to Victoria for this festival, it is expected that many members will try out in order to get the benefit of his expert criticism.

A report from Leslie Lamb indicated that the production of "Three-Cornered Moon" will take place on December 17. Mr. Lamb reported that his cast is doing an excellent job.

Victorians will be interested to learn that a play by H. J. Reynolds, a member of the club, will be produced for the I.O.D.E. Spectacle next month. This play was awarded second a few years ago. The play will be directed by H. Davis.

To close the programme, a dramaticlogue was read by Miss Harfield, Mrs. Long, Miss Burt, Miss Beck and Mr. Reynolds. The cast of "Three-Cornered Moon" put on the first act of the play, and the members of the club enjoyed it immensely.

## PLAYHOUSE THEATRE

The two men who made the saying, "Is Zat So?" famous on both stage and screen, appear together in the Universal feature, "Mr. Dynamite," now playing on the screen of the Playhouse Theatre. They are Edmund Lowe, star of the film, and Robert Gleckler. Gleckler appeared in the original "Is Zat So?" stage show on Broadway, while Lowe made the phrase familiar on the screen in "Cockeyed World" and other pictures in which he worked with Victor McLaglen.

Notice of Order Appointing Special Master in Place of W. A. Beasley, Deceased.

IN THE SOUTHERN DIVISION OF THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, in and for the Northern District of California. In the Matter of PACIFIC STEAMSHIP LINES, LTD., a corporation. Debtor—No. 38788-1.

Notice of Order Appointing Special Master in Place of W. A. Beasley, Deceased.

Pursuant to the provisions of the order entered herein on the 28th day of November, 1935, by the United States District Court for the Northern District of California, Southern Division, in the above entitled proceeding under and pursuant to Section 77 (b) of the Acts of Congress relating to Bankruptcy, notice is given that the above entitled Court on said 28th day of November, 1935, entered its order:

1. Appointing Burton J. Wyman as Special Master in the above entitled cause in the place and stead of W. A. Beasley, deceased, with the same powers and authority as granted to the said W. A. Beasley, deceased, under the order of the Court dated October 21, 1935.

2. That all claims and interests of creditors and stockholders be filed, on or before February 6, 1936, or evidenced by the said Burton J. Wyman as Special Master, at his office, 608 Grand Building, 1085 Market Street, San Francisco, California, substantially in the form of proof of claim prescribed by Section 87 of the Bankruptcy Act, and the rules and general orders applicable thereto.

3. Continuing in full force and effect the orders of this Court dated September 25, 1935, and October 21, 1935, except as in said order of November 25, 1935, otherwise provided.

4. Reserving to the Court full right and jurisdiction to make, from time to time such other and further orders as the Court shall deem proper, changing, amplifying, extending or modifying its orders.

Dated this 28th day of November, 1935.  
**PACIFIC STEAMSHIP LINES LTD.**  
By E. H. HALL,  
Its Secretary.

KEITH R. FERGUSON, ESQ., 211 California Street, Room 228, San Francisco, California, Attorney for Debtor. Dec. 3-11

Published in "The Recorder," 274 Pine Street, San Francisco, California, Phone Market 5600.

By WILLIAMS

## IN SECOND FEATURE AT DOMINION



Genevieve Tobin, Warren William and Patricia Ellis play the leading roles in the picture "The Case of the Lucky Legs," which is the second feature at the Dominion Theatre.

## KAY FRANCIS AT DOMINION

Popular Actress Has Leading Role in New Picture "I Found Stella Parish"

Kay Francis, supported by a talented cast, comes to the Dominion Theatre to-day, in the First National production, "I Found Stella Parish."

The film is based on a powerful drama by John Monk Saunders. Miss Francis has the intensely emotional role of a woman who topples from the heights of success to the depths of despair.

Fighting to hide a terrible page in her life in order to protect her six-year-old daughter from scandal, she is betrayed by the man she has come to love, and started here on the downward path in her profession.

Separated from her child whom she has placed in hiding with a faithful retainer, her love turned to bitter hatred, she is torn by a terrific emotional stress that eats into her heart and makes her life a horrible nightmare.

The battle of the young journalist, the man who has published the story of her life after having won her confidence, to bring back her success and make up for the injustice he had done her, lends to an astounding and intensely dramatic climax.

Also being shown as the second feature is "The Case of the Lucky Legs," starring Genevieve Tobin.

## COW TESTING RESULTS

The following is a list of cows in the Vancouver Island South Cow Testing Association that gave fifty pounds or more of butterfat for November, 1935:

Bessie (73) gr. Jersey, milk lbs. 1,017; fat lbs. 63.0; Burpee and Swan. Cowichan (272) gr. Jersey, milk lbs. 728; fat lbs. 54.8; Burpee and Swan.

Ada (117) gr. Holstein, milk lbs. 1,007; fat lbs. 54.8; Vickery and Fisher.

Westport (218) gr. Holstein, milk lbs. 1,252; fat lbs. 50.1; Vickery and Fisher.

One to Many (32) gr. Jersey, milk lbs. 1,026; fat lbs. 61.6; Vickery and Fisher.

Sue (45) gr. Jersey, milk lbs. 1,333; fat lbs. 57.3; Vickery and Fisher.

Ruby (103) gr. Jersey, milk lbs. 1,280; fat lbs. 56.3; T. S. Mitchell.

Violet (54) gr. Jersey, milk lbs. 1,451; fat lbs. 72.5; T. S. Mitchell.

Babbie Noble's Fern (77) pure bred Jersey, milk lbs. 1,060; fat lbs. 60.4; Easton and Burkishaw.

Meridee Tyne Princess (206) pure bred Jersey, milk lbs. 806; fat lbs. 50.0; Easton and Burkishaw.

Doris of Glyn Neath (21) pure bred Jersey, milk lbs. 1,057; fat lbs. 56.0; Easton and Burkishaw.

Tessie Princess Aileen (53) pure bred Holstein, milk lbs. 1,194; fat lbs. 52.5; R. Rendle.

May (30) Holstein, milk lbs. 1,212; fat lbs. 51.0; H. Fletcher.

Rose's St. Mawes Lassie (304) pure bred Jersey, milk lbs. 902; fat lbs. 52.3; George Austin.

May (86) gr. Jersey, milk lbs. 1,212; fat lbs. 66.6; George Austin.

Sue (126) gr. Guernsey, milk lbs. 1,007; fat lbs. 54.8; Vickery and Fisher.

## Where To Go To-night

As Advertised

Capitol—Joan Crawford in "I Live My Life."  
Columbia—Joe E. Brown in "Alibi Ike."

Dominion—Kay Francis in "I Found Stella Parish."  
Playhouse—Will Rogers in "Steamboat Round the Bend."

Black Sheep—Edna May Oliver in "Black Sheep."  
Gables—starring Anne Shirley, Royal—"Chocolate Soldier."  
Crystal Garden—Swimming.

800; fat lbs. 42.4; George Austin.  
Dolly (67) gr. Jersey, milk lbs. 756; fat lbs. 42.1; W. M. Brooks.

Molly (76) gr. Jersey, milk lbs. 1,007; fat lbs. 50.5; W. M. Brooks.

Nigger (51) gr. Holstein, milk lbs. 1,230; fat lbs. 50.4; W. M. Brooks.

Dolly (54) gr. Jersey, milk lbs. 1,317; fat lbs. 52.7; G. F. Weir.

Tania (42) gr. Jersey, milk lbs. 1,179; fat lbs. 50.7; G. F. Weir.

Nellie (50) gr. Jersey, milk lbs. 1,122; fat lbs. 58.3; G. F. Weir.

Tessie The Black Princess (87) pure bred Holstein, milk lbs. 1,176; fat lbs. 41.2; E. and T. Raper.

De Kol Mary Ellen (67) pure bred Holstein, milk lbs. 1,539; fat lbs. 53.9; E. and T. Raper.

Kordyke De Kol Girl (57) pure bred Holstein, milk lbs. 1,407; fat lbs. 50.9; E. and T. Raper.

Tulip (171) gr. Holstein, milk lbs. 1,637; fat lbs. 50.7; E. and T. Raper.

Westport De Kol Rosie (24) pure bred Holstein, milk lbs. 1,182; fat lbs. 50.8; E. and T. Raper.

De Kol Westport Fipsa (26) pure bred Holstein, milk lbs. 1,206; fat lbs. 58.2; E. and T. Raper.

McKinley Flo (23) pure bred Holstein, milk lbs. 1,698; fat lbs. 76.4; E. and T. Raper.

Duchess (48) gr. Jersey, milk lbs. 1,162; fat lbs. 50.6; Morwenna Dairy.

Mary II (140) gr. Jersey, milk lbs. 693; fat lbs. 40.5; Morwenna Dairy.

Topsy (25) gr. Jersey, milk lbs. 1,044; fat lbs. 64.7; J. E. K. Burnett.

Guernsey (87) gr. Guernsey, milk lbs. 1,164; fat lbs. 58.2; E. A. Burnett.

Dora (32) pure bred Jersey, milk lbs. 1,149; fat lbs. 50.6; B. Young.

Tm. Alone (69) pure bred Jersey, milk lbs. 1,260; fat lbs. 56.7; B. Young.

Happy Hollow Hattie (91) pure bred Jersey, milk lbs. 936; fat lbs. 50.5; K. Napier.

Pauls (34) gr. Jersey, milk lbs. 1,390; fat lbs. 75.9; K. Napier.

Betsy (58) gr. Jersey, milk lbs. 992; fat lbs. 50.6; K. Napier.

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\*Indicates two-year-olds.

France Building Big Battleship

Paris, Dec. 6.—The naval minister yesterday revealed the keel of a new 35,000-ton French battleship had been laid secretly at Brest.

The announcement was seen to-day by some naval experts as ending the possibility that an agreement might be reached at the London naval conference to reduce the displacement of capital ships to 25,000 tons, a proposal favored by Britain.

Construction has been under way for seven weeks, the ministry announced, in the same yard where the 28,000-ton battleship Dunkerque was launched October 2.

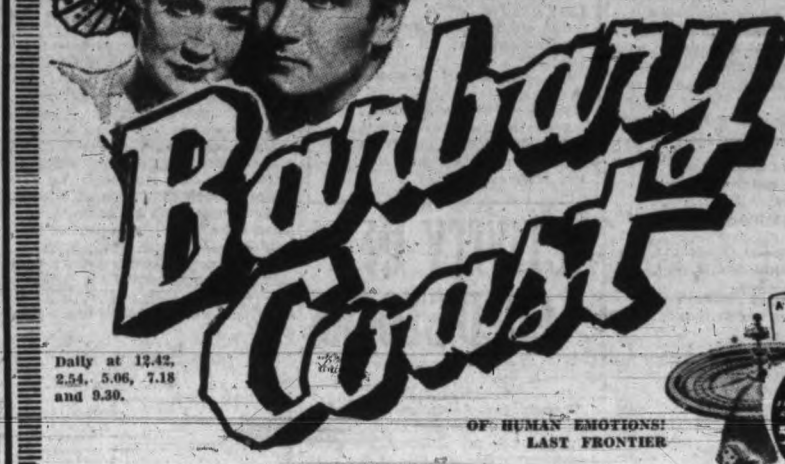
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"Barbary Coast" Here To-morrow

Samuel Goldwyn's long-awaited "Barbary Coast" will open at the Capitol Theatre to-morrow, with Miriam Hopkins, Edward G. Robinson and Joel McCrea in its leading roles.

Around the building of America's last frontier after the California gold rush of 1849, Charles MacArthur and Ben Hecht have written a romantic and glamorous story of a love that flowered and flamed amid the tumult and treachery of a gold-mad city of love-hungry adventurers from every corner of the globe.

Miriam Hopkins is more fascinating, more beautiful and more effective than ever before as Swan, who reigns over the crooked roulette wheel in the notorious Bella Donna cafe, run by Louis Chambliss, a man as ruthless as he is powerful. Robinson has his finest characterization as this "Public Enemy No. 1" of the Barbary Coast, and Joel McCrea is splendid as Jim Carmichael, a fine, idealistic young miner, who enters Swan's life and transforms her by his love.

The skillful directorial hand of Howard Hawks and the brilliant pen of Charles MacArthur and Ben Hecht are evident throughout the film, which is released through United Artists.

COLUMBIA THEATRE

Peanuts have played an important part in the life of Joe E. Brown.

For years Joe traveled with a circus and everyone knows that a circus just could not be without peanuts and pink lemonade. Later he played professional baseball. If the sweepers in baseball parks did not have peanut shells to clean up, they would probably quit.

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JOE E. BROWN in Ring Lardner's "Alibi Ike"

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"Alibi Ike," now showing at the Columbia Theatre, Joe had to eat several bags of peanuts. The first two bags he seemed to enjoy but from there on they became the equivalent to castor oil to a child.

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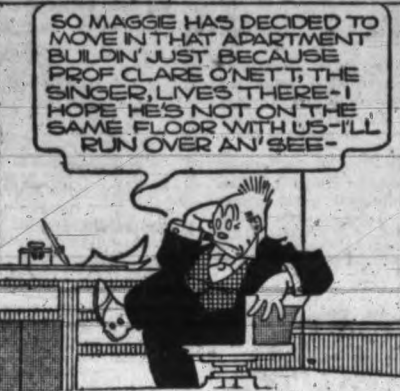




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Tarzan The Untamed



The Gumps



# Dorothy Dix

Deflation of Egos Is Sometimes Dangerous

WHY DO OUR FAMILIES feel it to be their sacred duty to deflate our egos? They do, you know. Here and there is a household that is a mutual admiration society, but they are scarce as hen's teeth. The average family is a steamroller that runs over all of its members' self-esteem and flattens it out like a pancake.

Why this is thus is a mystery. Perhaps it is a law of nature. Perhaps it is one of the inscrutable designs of Providence to keep us humble, but it is a fact that if it were not for our fathers and our mothers, and our sisters and our brothers, and especially our husbands and wives, we would never know what poor, miserable worms of the dust we are. It is they who keep us reminded of our limitations, and who have a brickbat at any little conceit that dares perk up and lift its head.

No doubt this is good for our souls. It keeps us from becoming puffed up with self-importance and prevents us from thinking more highly of ourselves than we should do. But it causes one to wonder why it should be the task of those who are nearest and dearest to us to perform the painful operation of reducing our swelled heads not only to normal, but shrinking them to the size of pigmies.

For our families love us despite our being the imperfect creatures they clearly perceive us to be, and when they keep our faults ever before us they are not actuated by malice. They do it for our own good, as they impress upon us, and in order that we may not be misled by the fulsome flattery of outsiders who find something in us to admire.

Parents, in particular, feel that they must destroy every particle of a child's self-confidence, root and branch, by forever reminding it of its defects. If a little girl is homesy, mother tells her that she can't wear the pretty fluffy things some other little girl does, or runs out to strangers that Sally has the Brown nose or the Smith mouth, which the child knows are considered little less than deformities in the family. If a little boy is slow in learning, father calls him a fool and berates him for dumbness. If children are awkward, they never hear the last about their clumsiness.

It is only brothers and sisters who are cruel enough to tell each other home truths about their lack of piquetude and sex attraction. It is only a husband who tells his wife that she is getting fat and middle-aged, and that her new hat is ten years too young for her. And it is only a wife who interrupts her husband in the midst of his pet story at which every one else is laughing to exclaim: "For goodness' sake, are you going to tell that old thing over again? It is such an old chestnut it is mouldy and has worms in it."

All of which explains why children leave home as soon as they can stand on their own feet and why divorce is so prevalent. Having our self-esteem extracted is as painful a process as having a tooth pulled and none of us enjoy the ordeal, or like to stay where it is part of the daily programme. Hence we seek the society of strangers who are alien to our faults. At least to our faces. And what we don't know doesn't hurt us.

Of course, when our families stick pins in our little pink balloons they do not know what harm they are doing, because they do not realize that it is only our good opinion of ourselves that keeps us buoyed up and able to rise off the ground. We can only do what we believe ourselves capable of doing, and when our self-confidence is destroyed we are sunk.

Thousands upon thousands of men and women are failures in the world just because their parents put out the fires of genius on their altars when they were children by scoffing at their ambitions and ridiculing their dreams and making them believe that they had not the ability to succeed.

Thousands of men who might have gone to the top sit at the bottom of the ladder because as children they were made to believe that they were too dull and stupid to climb. Thousands of women have gone through life lonely and forlorn, eating their hearts out in bitter envy of other women, because their mothers impressed it so much on them in their youth that they were ugly and gawky and that no man would want to marry them that they became shy and self-effacing and lost the ability to be attractive.

Thousands of husbands stray away from wives, who never speak to them except to remind them of their weaknesses and failures, to women who restore their self-respect to them by their flattery. And thousands of wives lose interest in home-making and get that what's-the-use attitude toward their jobs, because they know that no matter how good the dinner or how small the bills their husbands will criticize their cooking and berate their extravagance.

Yet, despite the disasters it brings about, deflating each other's ego is still the favorite game in the home circle. Perhaps it is because nobody else will stand for it.

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Uncle Wiggily and the Cheese Diggers

By HOWARD E. GARIS

The PUSKY FOX knocked on the door of the den where the WOOLLY WOLF lived in the woods.

"Hello, PUSKY," said the Wolf when he saw who it was. "Come in. What's on your mind besides your hair?"

"No, I won't come in," snickered the Fox, for that was the way he talked just as snarling was the Wolf's way. "You come on out."

"Out where?" asked the Wolf. "Do you want me to go puffing and blowing on the house of some of the three little pigs?"

"No, though you're a bad enough wolf for that," said the Fox. "What I want you to do is to come and help me dig for buried treasure."

"Buried treasure?" exclaimed the Wolf. "Do you know where there is any buried treasure, PUSKY?"

"Yes, I do."

"How do you know?"

"I saw it buried."

"Where is it buried, PUSKY?"

"Back of the Longtail fence."

"Oh, the mouse family's place, eh? Who buried it?"

"Uncle Wiggily and that little cousin mouse, Squeakie. They found it."

"Oh, they did, eh? How do you know?"

"I watched them from behind a bush. They dug a hole and put something in it—covered it up and hurried away. Oh, I'm so hungry, and if we dig up this buried treasure, we'll have enough to buy ourselves a Christmas dinner of roast chicken, shrimp, and—"

"So we will. It was clever of you, PUSKY, to watch this treasure being hidden. I'll help you dig it up. But what is it? I mean, what kind of treasure is it?"

"Oh, it must be gold and silver and diamonds and all such stuff as that. Regular buried treasure, you know. We'll be rich."

"Yes, I think we will. You're clever, PUSKY. Now we'll go and dig up the treasure you saw Uncle Wiggily and Squeakie bury. Come on."

The two Bad Chap diggers started for the Longtail fence.

It was just about this time that Uncle Wiggily started to hop over to the mouse house to make sure he and Squeakie had dug enough dirt on top of the cheese they had buried the day before as a Christmas present from Squeakie to his Uncle Oscar Longtail, the mouse gentleman.

CHEESE IT

When Uncle Wiggily got there, Squeakie was out in the yard, rolling down the back fence. The cousin mouse, also, was worried lest the dirt on top of her cheese present. So she and Uncle Wiggily started out through a gate in the fence. As they tried to hear voices talking.

"PUSKY, dig deeper!" the Wolf snarled.

"Do some digging yourself, Woolly. If you want some of the treasure," snarled the Fox. "I'm not going to do it all."

"Don't worry," snickered Uncle Wiggily. "They think it's buried treasure. When they find out it's only cheese."

Just as the Fox and Wolf had dug down to the Christmas cheese, which Squeakie had buried in it, it would rattle and roll. The uncle tried it better out now. The Bad Chaps took one look in the hole.

"Only a cheese!" snarled the Wolf. "You know I hate cheese!"

"You don't hate it any worse than I do!" snarled the Fox. "I thought we'd find some treasure. Foolish! They had all their work for nothing and away they ran. Then Squeakie covered

## HOROSCOPE

"The stars incline, but do not compel."

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1935

Benefic aspects rule strongly to-day, according to astrology. It is a time most auspicious for relaxation as well as for serious conference.

In the morning some occurrences may be of great importance to workers. Pictures will require additional hands and there may be a general speeding up of certain industries.

Merchants and men at the head of business enterprises are under the most favorable planetary government which should bring real prosperity.

Naval officers are well directed by the stars which seem to forecast for them a bright future. Movements of ships in the Pacific Ocean are foreseen.

The evening of this day is read as a time for clear thinking and keen mental vision. It is to be marked by important events.

Newfoundland is likely to experience a winter of extraordinary severity. Canada will have new troubles affecting labor and industry.

Persons whose birthdate it is save the augury of a year of gain in which many will receive legacies. Secret friendships are foretold for certain men who should vary.

Children born on this day probably will be practical and reliable. Subjects of this sign are usually shrewd in their judgment.

Albert H. Abbott, statesman and General Secretary of the Canadian Red Cross during the World War, was born on this day, 1871. Others who have celebrated it as a birthday include Mary Queen of Scots, 1542.

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## Sir J. Isaacs To Visit London

Canadian Press Cable via Reuter's Canberra, Dec. 6.—The Australian government is making arrangements for the retiring Governor-General, Sir Isaac Isaacs, to visit England, accompanied by Lady Isaacs, to pay homage to the King on behalf of the Commonwealth. Sir Isaac is the first Australian to hold this high office.

It is expected the visit will be made as soon as possible after the New Year, when the Governor-General-Designate, Brig-Gen. Sir Alexander Hore-Ruthven, will take office.

A glowing tribute to the services of Sir Isaac was paid by Prime Minister Joseph Lyons in parliament yesterday when the legislators officially bade him farewell. Now eighty years of age, he is a former Chief Justice of Australia and has been Governor-General since 1931.



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## Deep Sea Movements

### TO ARRIVE

**DECEMBER**

**HEIAN MARU** (at Vancouver), Japan, Dec. 10.

**GRACIA**, United Kingdom, Dec. 10.

**NARITA**, Rotterdam and London, Dec. 10.

**PRESIDENT JEFFERSON**, Manila, Hong Kong, Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu, Dec. 10.

**YENDAREK**, China and Japan, Dec. 10.

**PACIFIC GROVE**, London, Liverpool, Manchester and Glasgow, Dec. 10.

**EMPEROR OF CANADA**, Manila, Hong Kong, Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu, Dec. 10.

**PRESIDENT JACKSON**, Philippines, China and Japan, Dec. 24.

**HIKAWA MARU** (at Vancouver), Japan, Dec. 24.

**NIAGARA**, Sydney, Auckland, Suva and Honolulu, Dec. 24.

**KOCHI**, Rotterdam and London, Dec. 24.

**EMPEROR OF RUSSIA**, Manila, Hong Kong, Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu, Dec. 24.

**PACIFIC ENTERPRISE**, London, Liverpool, Glasgow and Manchester, Dec. 24.

### JANUARY

**CORTONA**, United Kingdom, Jan. 6.

**EXION**, China and Japan, Jan. 6.

**PRESIDENT MCKINLEY**, Philippines, China and Japan, Jan. 7.

**HIKE MARU** (at Vancouver), Japan, Jan. 7.

**DAMSTEDYK**, Rotterdam and London, Jan. 11.

**PACIFIC TRADER**, London, Liverpool, Manchester and Glasgow, Jan. 14.

**MODAVIA**, United Kingdom, Jan. 20.

**PRESIDENT GRANT**, Philippines, China and Japan, Jan. 21.

**HEIAN MARU** (at Vancouver), Japan, Jan. 21.

**EMPEROR OF CANADA**, Manila, Hong Kong, Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu, Jan. 21.

**LOCH KATHINE**, Rotterdam and London, Jan. 21.

**PACIFIC FIONEER**, London, Liverpool, Manchester and Glasgow, Jan. 24.

### TO SAIL

**DECEMBER**

**PRESIDENT GRANT**, Japan, China and Philippines, Dec. 10.

**EMPEROR OF ASIA**, Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki, Shanghai, Hong Kong and Manila, Dec. 14.

**PRESIDENT JEFFERSON**, Japan, China, Philippines, Dec. 14.

**HEIAN MARU** (at Vancouver), Japan, Dec. 14.

**EMPEROR OF CANADA**, Honolulu, Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki, Shanghai, Hong Kong and Manila, Dec. 24.

**PRESIDENT JACKSON**, Japan, China and Philippines, Dec. 24.

**HIKAWA MARU** (at Vancouver), Japan, Dec. 24.

**NIAGARA**, Honolulu, Suva, Auckland and Sydney, Jan. 6.

**PRESIDENT GRANT**, Japan, China and Philippines, Jan. 6.

**EMPEROR OF ASIA**, Yokohama, Kobe, Nagasaki, Shanghai, Hong Kong and Manila, Jan. 10.

**PRESIDENT JEFFERSON**, Japan, China and Philippines, Jan. 10.

**HIKE MARU** (at Vancouver), Japan, Jan. 10.

### AIR SERVICE

Canadian Airways plane leaves Vancouver daily at 6:30 a.m.; arrives Esquimalt Harbor, 10:15 a.m.; leaves Esquimalt Harbor, 2:30 p.m.; arrives Vancouver, 4:15 p.m.

## Catarrhal Deafness and Head Noises

### Tells Safe, Simple Way to Treat and Relieve at Home

If you have catarrh, catarrhal deafness or head noises caused by catarrh, or if phlegm drops in your throat and has caused catarrh of the stomach or bowels you will be glad to know that these distressing symptoms may be entirely overcome in many instances by the following treatment which you can easily perform in your own home at little cost. Secure from your druggist 1 ounce of Parmitin (Double Strength). Take this home and add to it 1 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. An improvement is sometimes noted after the first day's treatment. Breathing should become easier, while the distressing head noises, headaches, dullness, cloudy thinking, etc., should gradually disappear under the tonic action of the treatment. Loss of smell, taste, defective hearing and mucus dropping in the back of the throat are other symptoms which suggest the presence of catarrh and which may often be overcome by this effective treatment. It is said that nearly 90 per cent of all ear troubles are caused by catarrh and there must, therefore, be many people whose hearing may be restored by this simple, harmless, home treatment.

## CALL TENDERS FOR BUILDINGS

Work to Start on \$100,000 Job at Esquimalt Naval Barracks Early in New Year

Work on the two new buildings at the Esquimalt Naval Barracks will start early in the New Year. Tenders are now being called by the Department of Public Works and bids on the \$100,000 job must be in the national capital by noon on December 27.

A new drill hall, to replace the obsolete one now in use, and a modern office building will be constructed on the naval property on Admirals Road. An extra piece of property has been purchased by the government for the drill hall. It joins the Naval Barracks on Aberdeen Street.

Plans and specifications for the new building can be seen and forms of tender obtained at the office of the chief architect, Department of Public Works, Ottawa; the resident architect, in the Post Office Building in Victoria; the R.C.N. barracks at Esquimalt; the Building and Construction Industries Exchange, Vancouver, and the caretaker of the Post Office Building in Vancouver.

Contract for a new post office building at Lillooet, cost \$70,000, has been let to W. Orr, Chilliwack contractor. It was learned in Victoria this morning.

The proposed Esquimalt job will be the second undertaken in Victoria during the last six months. A few months ago the new warehouse for the Hydrographic Survey Department was opened on the Industrial Reserve. It cost approximately \$45,000.

## VESSEL HAS GOLD CARGO

Ss. Golden Cloud Due in Vancouver Monday With 1,200 Tons From Australia

Seattle, Dec. 6.—Another shipment of gold concentrates from the various mines of the Tacoma smelter from Port Alma, Australia. The consignment consists of 1,200 tons and is aboard the Oceanic and Oriental Navigation Company's freighter Golden Cloud, due on the Sound from the Antipodes next Monday.

The vessel also has 500 tons of bulk molasses from Hawaii for discharge at the Albers Mill in Seattle. The Golden Cloud will leave the Sound about December 12 for Aberdeen to load lumber for Australia and New Zealand.

She will complete her cargo in San Francisco and Los Angeles. The Matson Line freighter Maliko, loading in Olympia, will go from that port to Tacoma. She will be in Seattle Thursday and Friday loading for Hawaii. In addition to a deckload of 20,000 Christmas trees, the vessel will have twenty-eight cows and 1,000,000 lbs. of lumber for the islands.

The freighter Maunaloa, also of the Matson fleet, is due in Seattle December 23 and will sail December 27 for Hawaii with an 8,000-ton cargo of northwest products including general merchandise and lumber.

## Moonrise, Moonset

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific standard time) Victoria, B.C., for the month of December, 1935.

Day	Rises	Hour	Set	Hour	Phases
6	1:48 p.m.	3:47 a.m.			
7	2:21 p.m.	3:07 a.m.			
8	2:52 p.m.	2:24 a.m.			
9	3:23 p.m.	1:39 a.m.			
10	3:54 p.m.	1:00 a.m.			
11	4:24 p.m.	1:23 a.m.			Full Moon
12	4:55 p.m.	1:01 a.m.			
13	5:26 p.m.	1:23 a.m.			
14	5:57 p.m.	1:45 a.m.			
15	6:28 p.m.	2:07 a.m.			
16	6:59 p.m.	2:29 a.m.			
17	7:30 p.m.	2:51 a.m.			Last Qtr.
18	8:01 p.m.	3:13 a.m.			
19	8:32 p.m.	3:35 a.m.			
20	9:03 p.m.	3:57 a.m.			
21	9:34 p.m.	4:19 a.m.			
22	10:05 p.m.	4:41 a.m.			
23	10:36 p.m.	5:03 a.m.			
24	11:07 p.m.	5:25 a.m.			New Moon
25	11:38 p.m.	5:47 a.m.			
26	12:09 a.m.	6:09 a.m.			
27	12:40 a.m.	6:31 a.m.			
28	1:11 a.m.	6:53 a.m.			
29	1:42 a.m.	7:15 a.m.			
30	2:13 a.m.	7:37 a.m.			
31	2:44 a.m.	7:59 a.m.			

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

## Spoken By Wireless

December 6, 8 p.m.—Shipping: The S.S. Queen Mary, Esquimalt to Port San Luis, 602 miles from Port San Luis. S.S. Queen Mary, inbound for orders, 1,800 miles from Esquimalt.

December 6, 12 noon.—Weather: Victoria—Cloudy; north, strong; 25.51; 46; sea, heavy swell.

December 6, 12 noon.—Weather: Esquimalt—Part cloudy; southeast, strong; 25.51; 46; sea, heavy swell.

December 6, 12 noon.—Weather: Point Grey—Overcast; southeast, fresh; 25.51; 46; sea, heavy swell.

December 6, 12 noon.—Weather: Cape Lazo—Part cloudy; strong, east; 25.48; 42; sea, rough.

## OTTAWA WILL HANDLE JOBS

Engineering Work at Canada's Ports Will in Future Be Done From Capital

Ottawa, Dec. 6.—Engineering work in connection with new projects at Canada's ports will be handled in future by a central staff at Ottawa and only maintenance work will be done under the control of local engineers.

Hon. C. D. Howe, federal minister of railways and canals and marine, told members of the Engineering Institute of Canada at a dinner here yesterday evening.

"It seems a strange anomaly," he said, "that the Dominion Government, being possessed of a splendid engineering staff having wide experience in port engineering, should have turned over to small local staffs some of the most important engineering problems with which the government has been called upon to deal."

"It is the intention of my department to confine the work of local engineering staffs entirely to maintenance problems and to handle engineering work for new projects by a central staff at Ottawa. This is the best engineering staff and experience of the public service can be brought to bear on each problem."

"The work of reorganizing harbor administration at these ports (Halifax, Saint John, Chicoutimi, Quebec, Three Rivers, Montreal and Vancouver) is now under way. It is the intention to co-ordinate the work of the various boards and, if possible, to put them all on a self-sustaining basis."

## TO ELIMINATE WASTE

"A competent expert on port management will be given the task of developing business for the several ports and of co-ordinating their activities in a way that will avoid competition one with the other. I have no doubt that the new form of administration will do much to eliminate waste and change the position of these ports to a source of revenue rather than a drain on the treasury."

He gathered, he said, was intended to mark the first time in the history of the Dominion Government when a professional engineer had been made minister of an engineering department. He regarded this as an important matter for the profession. At times he had had to assist in preparing reports for ministers who were not engineers and had had to accept decisions he felt were based on lack of understanding.

Engineers seldom entered politics or were elected to Parliament, so the fault did not lie with governments. An engineer's work was wholly inconsistent with political partnership and when he became a politician his livelihood was in jeopardy. He hoped, however, that his own appointment would create a precedent and that other engineers would succeed him.

Although the proposed merger of the two engineering departments of railways and canals and marine in a Department of Transport under his administration would eliminate some duplication it would not eliminate the duplication of engineering services in the government. The Department of Public Works had a large engineering staff and among other engineering projects administered a canal system while all other canal systems were under either railways and canals or marine.

Centralizing of port control under a board in Ottawa in place of the local harbor commission was a step in the direction of eliminating duplication, said Mr. Howe. Under the former practice the local commissions tended to compete with one another in obtaining money for spectacular development and instead of concentrating on getting new business for Canada often sought to take business away from another Canadian port.

## CHINA CLIPPER RETURNS TO U.S.

Associated Press  
Alameda, Calif., Dec. 6.—The trans-Pacific China Clipper seaplane swept down out of the rain-clouds to land her inaugural mail flight to Manila and return at 10:36 a.m. P.S.T., to-day.

## TO STOP ITCHING AND TO CLEAR UP ECZEMA AND SKIN RASHES—USE D.D.

The Sanneik Council yesterday evening authorized payment of \$1,100 to the board of trustees of the Royal Oak Bunk Park as one half of the amount required to meet payment of interest on bonds due in January. Sanneik and the city are jointly responsible for the total payment of \$2,200.

## TOURIST CLASS TO BE LAVISH

Ss. Queen Mary Will Set New Style When She Makes Her Maiden Voyage in May

Montreal, Dec. 6.—Never before in the history of North Atlantic travel will such lavish provision have been made for tourist class passengers as in the new Cunard White Star Queen Mary.

Tourist facilities in the great liner will include stateroom, accommodation extending over five decks. Eighty-five per cent of the rooms will have adjoining private toilets; every stateroom will be fitted with mahogany bedsteads and supplied with hot and cold water, and ventilation complete. It will also have its own system of ventilation under the passenger's individual control.

Tourist public rooms will include an air-conditioned dining saloon, nearly eighty feet long and extending the full width of the ship, a smoking room, cocktail bar, a library for 1,800 books, children's playroom containing a model railway; two lounges, one to be used on occasion as a talking picture cinema and ballroom; and a writing room.

The large swimming pool to be fitted out in blue and white, and adjoins an exceptionally complete gymnasium.

Passengers in third class will also find luxury in their accommodation. Every stateroom will have fitted dressing tables, overhead bedlights, hot and cold water, and ventilation complete. It will be tremendously in advance of anything which has previously been provided for third-class passengers. They include two lounges, both situated underneath the bridge and providing magnificent views looking forward out to sea; a smoking room and children's playroom.

## FOG LIFTS, SHIPS MOVE

Aorangi Heads Procession to Sea, Followed by Taitihybius and Hiye Maru

With the lifting of the dense fog in the gulf yesterday afternoon, a steady procession of ships commenced to move out to sea and into their docks at Vancouver.

The Ma. Aorangi, which was delayed in Vancouver more than twenty-four hours by the fog, got away from the mainland port yesterday shortly before noon and arrived here at 5:30 o'clock. She remained only an hour and then put to sea, en route to Honolulu, Suva, Auckland and Sydney.

The Blue Funnel-Liner Taitihybius, which was fogbound in mainland waters, passed off the local water-front at 6:15 o'clock and after dropping her pilot off Broche's Ledge proceeded to sea. She was bound for Japan and China.

By the time the Japanese motorship Hiye Maru was off the waterfront at 10 o'clock in the evening, the stiff wind had swept all traces of the fog away. She had also been fogged and had been anchored in English Bay. She made quite a picture as she came in close to the Dallas Road to drop her pilot, her deck lights casting a gleam over the stormy waters. She was bound across the north Pacific for Japanese ports.

Anchored in the stream at Vancouver, awaiting the lifting of the fog, were the freighters Nordbo and Laxington Court. Anchored in English Bay were the Ma. Pacific President and the Koki Maru. They all moved into Vancouver docks when the mists cleared.

The Aorangi headed the procession down the gulf on her way to sea, with the Taitihybius in sight all the time. A few miles behind came to Hiye Maru.

## Coastwise Movements

**VICTORIA-VANCOUVER**  
Princess Charlotte leaves Victoria for Vancouver daily at 2 p.m.; arrives Vancouver 6:45 p.m.  
Princess Alice leaves Vancouver daily for Victoria, 10:30 a.m.; arrives Victoria, 3:30 p.m.  
Princess Joan or Princess Elizabeth leaves Victoria daily at midnight, arriving Vancouver, 7 a.m.  
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## VICTORIA-SEATTLE

Princess Alice leaves Victoria daily, 4:30 p.m.; arrives Seattle, 9:30 p.m.  
Princess Charlotte leaves Seattle daily, 9 a.m.; arrives Victoria, 1:15 p.m.

## WEST COAST SERVICE

Princess Maquina sails from Victoria, 11 p.m., on first, eleventh and twenty-first of each month for ports as far north as Port Alice.

## SIDNEY-ANACORTES

Rosario leaves Anacortes daily at 8:40 a.m.; arrives Sidney at 1:15 p.m. Leaves Sidney at 1:45 p.m.; arrives Anacortes at 6:15 p.m.

## SALT SPRING ISLAND

Mr. C. F. Peck leaves Swartz Bay daily, except Wednesdays, at 8:30 a.m. and 8 p.m.; leaves Victoria Harbor daily, except Wednesdays, at 8:15 a.m. and 8 p.m.

## TOSSED TO SEAS AND BACK AGAIN

Young Seaman on Ms. Nordbo Had Amazing Experience in Caribbean Sea Storm

Vancouver, Dec. 6.—Plunged from the maw of the raging Caribbean Sea, something like a modern Jonah from the interior of a whale, Hans Peter Olsen, twenty-one, a seaman on Norwegian Ma. Nordbo, is in hospital at Cristobal, thanking his Scandinavian sea gods that he has only a broken leg.

Ma. Nordbo "told" her way carefully through the fog and into harbor here on Wednesday night and her officers reported on the adventures of Olsen.

The ship was battling through a terrific gale five days out of Colon, Panama Canal, when a mighty sea swept down, snatched Olsen from the bridge and carried him to sea.

**TOSSED HIM BACK**  
Horrid officers and shipmates big instant and regretful farewell to another victim of the waves. But the Caribbean sea was in a playful mood. Tossing the great ship like a chip, it "tossed" Olsen like a piece of driftwood.

Other picked him up and hauled him back on board, breaking his leg. There he lay helpless on the deck. Shipmates risked their own lives to dash on to the open, storm-swept deck to carry him to shelter. The captain gave first aid and upon arrival at Cristobal, Olsen was sent to hospital. He is expected to be recovered sufficiently to rejoin the ship on her return voyage.

Asked in hospital if he was frightened when the seas made a plaything of him, Olsen replied: "No. I was not. Ma. Nordbo is in Anglo-Canadian Shipping Company Limited to lead for Liverpool. She is commanded by Captain V. Lockenitz. His wife, who accompanies him, did much to aid the injured seaman while he lay in hospital on board."

## The Weather

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### RAIN

Victoria, 5 a.m., Dec. 6.—An ocean storm is centred on the northern coast, and mild weather will prevail here.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.8; temperature, maximum yesterday 41; minimum 30; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, 0.7; clouds, 70.

Seattle—Barometer, 29.8; temperature, maximum yesterday 41; minimum 30; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, 1.2; clouds, 70.

Portland—Barometer, 29.8; temperature, maximum yesterday 41; minimum 30; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, 1.2; clouds, 70.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.8; temperature, maximum yesterday 41; minimum 30; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, 1.2; clouds, 70.

Los Angeles—Barometer, 29.8; temperature, maximum yesterday 41; minimum 30; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, 1.2; clouds, 70.

Honolulu—Barometer, 29.8; temperature, maximum yesterday 41; minimum 30; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, 1.2; clouds, 70.

Manila—Barometer, 29.8; temperature, maximum yesterday 41; minimum 30; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, 1.2; clouds, 70.

Yokohama—Barometer, 29.8; temperature, maximum yesterday 41; minimum 30; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, 1.2; clouds, 70.

Kobe—Barometer, 29.8; temperature, maximum yesterday 41; minimum 30; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, 1.2; clouds, 70.

Shanghai—Barometer, 29.8; temperature, maximum yesterday 41; minimum 30; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, 1.2; clouds, 70.

Hong Kong—Barometer, 29.8; temperature, maximum yesterday 41; minimum 30; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, 1.2; clouds, 70.

Amoy—Barometer, 29.8; temperature, maximum yesterday 41; minimum 30; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, 1.2; clouds, 70.

Swatow—Barometer, 29.8; temperature, maximum yesterday 41; minimum 30; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, 1.2; clouds, 70.

Shantou—Barometer, 29.8; temperature, maximum yesterday 41; minimum 30; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, 1.2; clouds, 70.

Quang Chau—Barometer, 29.8; temperature, maximum yesterday 41; minimum 30; wind, 4 miles S.E.; rain, 1.2; clouds, 70.

## WAS PIONEER BOAT BUILDER

Pioneer Vancouver boat builder, died at his home here yesterday after a long illness. He was eighty-five years old and had resided here since 1880.

Born in New Brunswick, Mr. Linton came to Vancouver when thirty-two years of age and started in the boat business, retiring ten years ago. He is survived by a sister, Mrs. Thomas McCann of Eureka, Calif.

## WARSHIPS ON OCEAN CRUISE

Hood and Renown, With Four Destroyers, Leave Gibraltar For Madeira Visit

Gibraltar, Dec. 6.—The battle cruisers Hood and Renown, two of the most powerful warships in the world, accompanied by four destroyers, steamed out of Gibraltar harbor yesterday and into the Atlantic Ocean on a "sea-conditioning" cruise.

Authoritative sources in London and their departure from Mediterranean waters had no connection with diplomatic moves to halt the Italo-Ethiopian conflict. It was informed observers considered it noteworthy that the move was made at a time when Britain and France were redoubting their efforts to evolve a peaceful solution of the controversy.

It is recalled, weeks ago demanded withdrawal of some of Britain's Home Fleet units from the Mediterranean in exchange for withdrawal of a division of Italian troops from the Libyan-Egyptian border.

The Hood and Renown and the accompanying destroyers are scheduled to call at Funchal, Madeira, and return here December 18. It was understood, other ships from Gibraltar are expected to make similar cruises later.

Observers attached significance to the fact the warships will be absent from the Mediterranean during the coming week, when renewed negotiations between London, Paris and Rome are expected to take place. At no time, however, will the departing warships be distant by more than a few hours from Gibraltar.

## MAILS

**CHRISTMAS MAILS**  
The public advised that the last mail for Honolulu to reach that port in good time for Christmas will be per Ss. President Wilson, leaving San Francisco, December 10. Parcel mail will close at Victoria, 4 p.m., December 10, and for mail 11:15 a.m. the same day.

The Ss. Lurline leaves San Pedro on December 10, and will reach Honolulu December 24. Letter mail will close at Victoria at 4 p.m., December 15.

## BRITISH

Close, 4 p.m., December 6, Ss. Hanna via New York.  
Close, 11:15 p.m., December 7, Ss. Duchess of Richmond.  
Close, 4 p.m., December 8, Ss. Europa via New York.

Mail intended for transmission via New York must be sent by December 17. Mail by air over United States lines, mail may be posted three days later than the dates indicated.

## WEST INDIES GENERALLY

Close, 11:15 p.m., December 8.

## JAMAICA

Close, 11:15 p.m., December 8, 10.

## AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

Close, 11:15 p.m., December 7, Mariposa via San Francisco; due Auckland, December 27; Sydney, December 30.  
Close, 11:15 p.m., December 15, Makura via San Francisco; due Wellington, January 6; Sydney, January 13; Auckland, January 20.

## HONOLULU

Close, 11:15 p.m., December 7, 8, 10, 12, 17, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26; January 1, 4, 6, 12, 17, 21, 23, 24, 25, 26.  
Close, 4 p.m., December 4, Ma. Aorangi.  
Close, 4 p.m., December 24, Ss. Empress of Canada.

## CHINA AND JAPAN

Close, 11:15 p.m., December 3, Hiye Maru; due Yokohama, December 17.  
Close, 4 p.m., December 7, President Grant; due Yokohama, December 20; Shanghai, January 7; Hong Kong, January 1